

WEATHER FORECAST

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Minister of Railways Foresees Recovery of Business Without Unification

WANTS LIBERALS TO MAKE STAND CLEAR

SMITH'S FALLS, Ont., Dec. 18 (CP).—A declaration that "the present Government has no intention of proposing amalgamation of the two great railway systems of Canada," coupled with a definite statement that the scheme of Hon. W. D. B. Eider for joint operation under a holding company was "merely another name for amalgamation," featured the speech here tonight of Hon. R. J. Manion, Minister of Railways and Canals.

After a few years of the joint operation proposed by Mr. Eider, the Minister said, "you could not separate the two railways any more than you can unscramble an omelet."

Dr. Manion was speaking at a public meeting here under the auspices of the Smith's Falls Liberal-Conservative Association.

WANTS LEADER'S STAND

"I should like to know where Mr. Mackenzie King stands on this proposal," he remarked in respect to the Eider scheme.

"We have been accused throughout by the Liberals of being the promoters of amalgamation, yet none of us of the Cabinet has ever supported the proposal; now here is one of the chief Liberal lieutenants, a Minister in the last Government, and one who, if Mr. King happened to win the next election, would be a Minister in the next Liberal Government, virtually advocating amalgamation."

NO REPLY AT ALL

"It is true," he said, that in the Toronto Globe of December 15, Mr. King, being asked by The Globe representative as to his attitude on the Eider speech, stated it was the same as the Liberal Party's attitude on February 27, 1933, namely:

"The Liberal Party stands for Continued on Page 2, Column 3

CABINET GOES OUT OF OFFICE

Resignation of Foreign Minister Causes Political Crisis in Yugoslavia

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia, Dec. 18 (AP).—A showdown between the two "strong men" of Yugoslav politics, Foreign Minister Bogolyub Yevitch and Premier Nikola Uzunovich, resulted today in the resignation of the Uzunovich Cabinet.

PRESENT CHARGES

The Foreign Minister, long regarded as the aged Uzunovich's likely successor in the premiership, came back to Belgrade last week from Geneva, where he pressed vigorously Yugoslav's charges of Hungarian "complicity" in the murder of King Alexander at Marseille on October 9, to be halted at the railroad station as "the victor of Geneva."

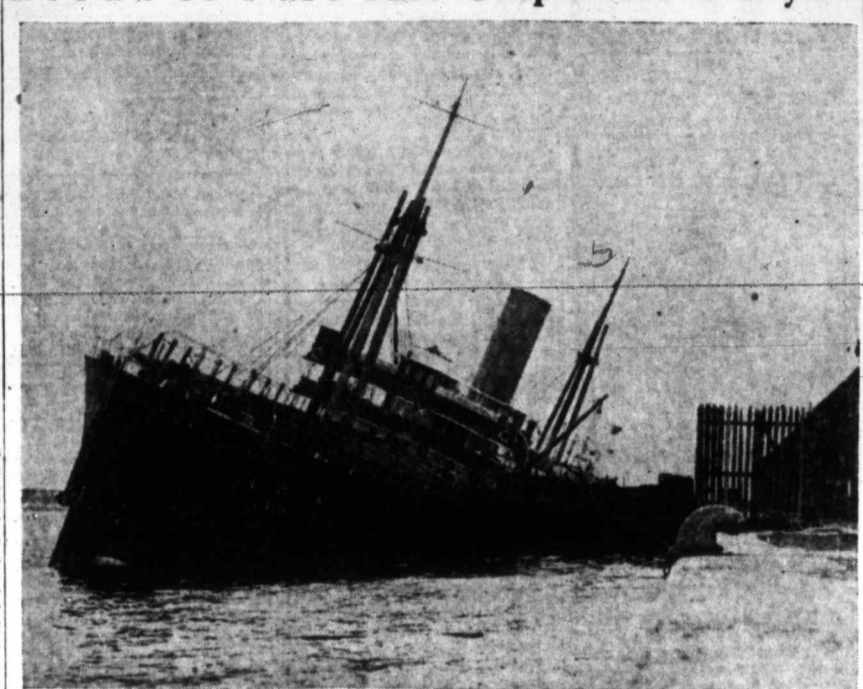
His rivals in the Cabinet, however, failed to greet enthusiastically his accomplishments at Geneva, and Yevitch resigned. Quickly, thereafter, Dragutin Kojich, Minister of Agriculture, quit his post, and the resignation of the entire Cabinet followed.

The aged Uzunovich, who has held the office of Premier in successive Governments for years, formed the last Cabinet on October 23, two weeks after Alexander was assassinated at Marseille.

GIVE A JOB

FIVE days remain for the creation of spare-time work for men and women in Victoria and vicinity who urgently need such employment to help with slender Christmas funds. Merchants of the city have done their part by taking on scores of helpers for the Christmas season. Home owners and householders are being looked to help, where possible, through the engagement of a man or a woman for chores about the home. The Employment Service of Canada is redoubting efforts to try and place as many men and women as possible in the next few days. Phone G 4241, for men, or Empire 1931, for women.

Proud of Part His Shipmates Played



When the British freighter Cape Ortel was securely tied up yesterday morning at Ogden Point Piers, Captain T. D. Scorer, who would make no statement about the perils the ship had combated, nevertheless took occasion to say that his officers and crew were all "real British seamen." The ship is shown with a 26-degree list, arriving alongside the local dock.

Improvement in Export Demand Gives Lumber Industry Bright Outlook

Victoria's Caddy Will Take Part in Christmas Celebrations Here

VICTORIA'S own Cadborosaurus, in miniature, will blaze in lights from the front of the Museum at the Legislative Buildings some time after dark this evening, as a Christmas token to the strange sea creature that has brought fame to this city from far and wide. Fashioned roughly on the scale of ten to one, the illuminated replica of the sea serpent will be eight feet long, with spines down the back, and two sets of pedal appendages. The camel's head will be turned towards the Causeway, with flashing eyes, and a row of glistening teeth. Head up and tail up, the "Cadborosaurus Whittakerii" will brighten Yuletide decorations this year, after its fabrication out of plywood and lights, on plans drawn by Henry Whittaker, chief architect of the province. Francis Kermode, director of the Museum, vouched for the authenticity of the likeness yesterday.

Japanese Make Formal Move to Abrogate Treaty

Privy Council Votes Unanimously to Advise Emperor to End Washington Agreement of 1922

—Final Adjournment of London Naval Talks to be Announced in Communique

TOKIO, Dec. 19 (AP).—The Japanese Privy Council, highest consultative body of the realm, today unanimously advised Emperor Hirohito to abrogate the Washington Treaty of 1922.

TAKES SIX TO CONTROL ONE

Vancouver Man Alleged to Have Attacked Baby in Sudden Insanity

VANCOUVER, Dec. 18 (CP).—Herman Sund, aged about thirty-five, was held under guard in the General Hospital tonight, following an alleged hammer attack on his thirteen-month-old daughter, Edith, and a later attack on two employees of a mill near his home.

The infant girl was reported in "fair" condition at the hospital, where she was found to be suffering from concussion. Police believe Sund became suddenly insane.

John McAloney, engineer at the mill, reported Sund stopped him and accused him of having "my baby there in your boiler." McAloney stated Sund attacked him and was attempting to strangle him when Bob Walker, millhand, appeared in the boiler room and came to his assistance.

Walker's clothing was reported almost torn from his body in the ensuing struggle and he was badly bitten on the hand. Sund was finally overpowered by six men after a chase through the mill property.

Possibility of Reduction in U.S. Tariffs Encouraging to Association Head

CANADA NOW LEADING IN SALES TO BRITAIN

MONTREAL, Dec. 18 (CP).—A roseate picture of the Dominion's lumber industry, with particular reference to the boom in the export of Eastern Canadian lumber to the United Kingdom, was painted, today, at the annual meeting of the Montreal Lumber Association (an adjunct of the Montreal Board of Trade) by Claude Villiers, president.

The industry, Mr. Villiers stated, has already commenced a return to more prosperous conditions, the low mark of the depression having occurred in February last. A remarkable improvement was noted since with a heavy demand for export.

SEES PRICE ADVANCE

"The almost certain possibility of an advance in lumber price," was the illuminating point in the 1934 lumber review, Mr. Villiers continued.

Another encouraging feature Mr. Villiers saw in the possibility of the United States lowering its tariffs. Should the 44-rate on lumber be eliminated or reduced the outlet of lumber through that channel would be increased appreciably, he said.

EXCEEDS ALL OTHERS

For the first quarter of the year, Mr. Villiers reported, Canada, including the West Coast, contributed more lumber to the United Kingdom than any other country.

MAKING READY TO END TALKS

Final Adjournment Will Be Tomorrow—King Gives Audience to Delegates

LONDON, Dec. 18 (CP-AP).—The full British, American and Japanese delegations to the tri-power naval talks, having failed in their efforts to get agreement on a substitute for the Washington Naval Treaty, will assemble tomorrow to pave the way for final adjournment on Thursday. A communique giving formal notice of the adjournment will be drawn up.

The conversations have failed because Japan insisted on her demand for actual parity with the navies of Britain and America. A British compromise proposal offering equality in principle only, has not been accepted by the Japanese. Anglo-Japanese exploratory talks will continue, however, in the New Year.

The King arranged to grant an audience at Buckingham Palace, this afternoon, to Ambassador Tameo Matsudaira and Admiral Isoroku Yamamoto, and it was expected a similar invitation for Thursday would be tendered the American leaders, Norman H. Davis and Admiral William H. Standley.

A luncheon was given by Admiral Yamamoto today in honor of the naval members of the British and American groups.

Five Thousand Rattlers Bring Handsome Reward

SAN ANGELO, Texas, Dec. 18 (AP).—A hoe, a long stick and plenty of nerve have netted Dee and Nelson Basham \$500 in the last fourteen months. Owners of the Spade Ranch, near here, offered ten cents each for dead rattlesnakes on their land. The Bashams went to work and on Monday reached a total of 5,000 snakes.

MORE POST BAIL BONDS

Twenty-Three Accept Invitation to Appear in Montreal Court

MONTREAL, Dec. 18 (CP).—Out of a total of sixty-one persons requested by the Royal Canadian Mounted Police to surrender voluntarily on charges of being parties to a \$3,000,000 liquor-smuggling conspiracy, twenty-three so far have accepted the invitation and have been received at the court of Chief Judge Gustave Perrault.

Of the twenty-three, seven are Montrealers, including the four Bronfman brothers, the others being "excursionists" from Nova Scotia; the only woman accused among their number.

FIVE MORE ARRAIGNED

Five of the latter group were arraigned today. One was Mrs. Evelyn Carline, formerly of Halifax and latterly of Montreal. She was released on bail of \$5,000. The men are Thurston Cook, New Glasgow; Sylvester Dumphy, North Sydney; W. M. Meagher, Mulgrave; and Hugh McDougald, Guysboro, N.S.

BAIL BONDS FIXED

Like ten of their co-accused from the Maritimes arraigned Monday, bail in their cases was set at two bonds of \$500 each. Bail for Colin Chisholm, Halifax, was set at \$15,000 on his arraignment Monday.

Royal Canadian Mounted Police announced that they expected another group of sixteen Nova Scotians tomorrow. This would swell the number of those who have given themselves up to thirty-nine. The others named in the warrant have until Saturday to surrender, authorities announced.

GIVEN CONCERN BY COMMUNISTS

United States Officers Report Attempts to Foment Mutiny and Rebellion

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18 (AP).—Attempts by Communists to spread dissatisfaction and even mutiny and rebellion among the armed forces of the United States were reported today by army and navy officers to be causing real "concern."

As a concrete remedy, they asked the House committee investigating "un-American" activities to approve a law permitting punishment of those who urge any soldier or sailor to "violate his oath of allegiance."

The Communist Army - Navy campaign was described by Commander V. L. Kirkman, of the navy, as carefully planned and supervised from headquarters in New York City. Other witnesses have asserted that the New York headquarters took orders from Moscow.

SUBVERSIVE PROPAGANDA

"The present drive" Kirkman testified, "takes the form of spreading subversive propaganda by organized groups among the organized forces in an endeavor to incite the personnel to dissatisfaction, disaffection, disloyalty and in some cases actual sabotage."

"No matter where the fleet may go," Kirkman said, "we find, usually, that the agitators have arrived ahead of it."

MEN CAPTURED IN BARRAGE OF CANS

Five Taken After Robbery of Montreal Bank—Stolen Money Is Recovered

MONTREAL, Dec. 18 (CP).—Capture of five men in a truck following hold-up of the Desormeaux and Souigny Streets Branch of La Banque Canadienne Nationale resulted in a large sum of money being found on the men, police said today. The sum taken from the bank was \$1,800.

DRAMATIC RESCUE OF SIXTEEN MEN EFFECTED IN OCEAN STORM

Royal City Man Saves Small Baby

Reports from China state that Rev. George A. Birch, of New Westminster, missionary since 1928 for China Inland Mission, had rescued the three-month-old daughter of Rev. J. C. and Mrs. Stam, who were killed by Chinese bandits. It is stated that Mr. Birch had the infant and was hastening from Tientsin, where he had been stationed, to a safe point. Other missionaries are reported fleeing the vicinity since the brutal slaying of Rev. J. C. and Mrs. Stam, natives of New Jersey.



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VOTE TO AUTHORIZE LENDING OF PICTURES

LONDON, Dec. 18 (CP).—The House of Lords yesterday gave first reading to a Government bill which will authorize the lending overseas of pictures representative of British art, now in the National Gallery.

BRILLIANT STAR IS DISCOVERED

Find of English Amateur Astronomer Is Described as Most Important

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Dec. 18 (AP).—A brilliant star, discovered by an English astronomer last Friday, was declared, tonight, by Dr. Harlow Shapley, director of the Harvard University Observatory, to be possibly "the most important stellar outburst ever witnessed."

Since Friday it has increased in apparent brightness by only sixteen other stars in the entire universe.

A month ago, Dr. Shapley said, it was recorded on Harvard plates, re-examined since the announcement of the English astronomer, as a star of only fifteenth magnitude, far below the range of visual observation.

INCREASES IN BRILLIANCE

Since that time its explosive outburst has increased the brightness of the star more than 100,000 times.

"The star may prove to be most important stellar outburst ever witnessed, because of the powerful equipment now available at American observatories for spectroscopic analysis," Dr. Shapley said.

The star is found at night in the northwest, in the constellation Hercules, not far distant from the bright star Vega in Lyra. In the early morning it is seen in the northeast.

First of New Air Mail Arrives

PORT DARWIN, Australia, Dec. 18 (CP-Havas).—The first plane of the new England-Australia air mail service arrived here, today, to receive tumultuous acclaim at the airport.

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Substantial Gain in Sale of Properties Reported Last Month

Increase During November Is Nearly \$20,000—Total Value of All Real Estate Transfers for Eleven Months Aggregates \$1,856,041

REAL estate sales during November showed an increase of \$19,705 over the previous month, while total value of all property transfers, this year, passed the \$1,800,000 mark, figures issued yesterday by George Okell, city assessor, disclosed.

Property to the value of \$85,495 was sold last month, as compared with \$65,790 during the month of October. Value of all sales for the last eleven months amounts to \$789,705.

Crew of Battered and Sinking Freighter Sisto Taken to Safety by Lifeboat of Ss. New York While Two Great Liners and Tanker Play Lights on Scene

Passengers Watch Thrilling Drama in Mountainous Seas

By FRANK E. GANNETT (Copyright, 1934, by the Associated Press)

A BOARD THE STEAMSHIP EUROPA AT SEA, December 18 (AP).—The thrilling rescue of sixteen men of the battered, sinking freighter Sisto was accomplished, tonight, in view of virtually every person aboard this big, luxurious liner, one of four vessels which wheeled from North Atlantic sea lanes in response to a frantic SOS. Men and women in evening clothes, bundled in greatcoats against a snarling wind which lashed up mountainous seas, crowded breathlessly to the Europa's rail to watch the drama.

Powerful searchlights from our bridge illuminated the rescue ship New York, a German vessel en route from New York to Hamburg. A tiny lifeboat put out from the New York's side, bobbing cork-like in the tossing seas. It headed for the wallowing Norwegian steamer Sisto, her rudder, bridge and lifeboats washed away and her superstructures battered in one of the Atlantic's worst storms.

REACHES STRICKEN SHIP

When the tiny craft from the New York reached the Sisto, cries of relief came from the Europa's passengers.

When the lifeboat undertook the return journey the suspense was lived all over again. All that could be seen was an occasional flash of an oar in the beam of the Europa's strong lights, so heavily laden was the egg-shell craft.

All sixteen men were finally put aboard the New York, and the class Continued on Page 6, Column 4

SEE NO END TO GRIM CONFLICT

Paraguay Rejects League of Nations Plan for Peace With Bolivia

ASUNCION, Paraguay, Dec. 18 (AP).—Paraguay cabled a rejection of the League of Nations latest peace plan to Geneva today, and probabilities of a fight to the finish with Bolivia in the grim Chaco jungles seemed stronger than ever.

Since Bolivia's acceptance of the plan had been based provisionally upon Paraguay's acceptance, prospects for early cessation of hostilities faded into the background along with seventeen previous peace proposals submitted by the League and neutral nations since June, 1932.

The opposing armies were facing each other westward of the 32nd meridian; the recently victorious Paraguayans menacing Bolivian positions even beyond the limits of the Chaco, in their own provinces of Tarija and Santa Cruz.

MOBILIZING RESERVES

Bolivia was reported to be mobilizing reserves to the age of forty-nine, in hopes of forming a new army of 100,000 men to stem the Paraguayan advance.

The Paraguayan rejection, based largely on a report of General Jose Estigarribia, commander of the war forces in the Chaco, objected to the "uncertain state in which the parties would remain after suspension of hostilities" under a proposed truce.

It said these conditions would make it impossible to discuss certain urgent matters like the return of Bolivian prisoners.

One of the main Paraguayan points was that hostilities might easily be renewed while negotiations for peace were in progress.

HITLER NEITHER DEAD NOR HURT

Rumors That Der Fuehrer Had Been Wounded Are Denied by Nazi Officials

BERLIN, Dec. 18 (AP).—Adolf Hitler has not been wounded, it was said officially today, nor has anyone shot at Der Fuehrer.

Those were the denials Nazi officials had already for rumors the Reich leader has been near assassination.

"Ridiculous inventions," the reports were termed.

The rumor that Hitler was dead reached Berlin today almost at the same time from three such widely separated nations as Austria, Russia and Holland. (The newspaper Linzer Volksblatt of Linz, Austria, published reports that a German girl recently shot and wounded Hitler.)

	Sales	Total Transfers
January	\$69,970	\$508,062
February	86,480	134,190
March	71,905	143,615
April	69,185	131,415
May	53,945	113,925
June	67,415	98,140
July	91,530	172,400
August	67,030	136,880
September	61,860	113,090
October	65,790	128,130
November	85,495	181,265
Total	789,705	1,856,041

RE-ELECTED BY ACCLAMATION

C. L. Harrison Returned as Chairman of Alpine Club Local Section

C. L. Harrison was re-elected, by acclamation, to the chairmanship of the Vancouver Island section of the Alpine Club of Canada, at the annual meeting held on Monday night at the Y.W.C.A.

Other officers for the ensuing year are: Miss Kathleen Martin, secretary; Gordon Cameron, treasurer, and the following executive of five: W. H. Dougan, R. D. McCaw, F. B. Jones, Miss Muriel Aylard and T. H. S. Goodlake.

A review of the year's activities was given by Mr. Harrison in his address. He encouraged the members to make use of the club hut at the Lake-of-the-Seven-Hills, and

THE "OLD" HURON & ERIE REVISES INTEREST RATES

Savings depositors of the Huron & Erie Mortgage Corporation have been notified that 21-25% will be paid on deposits commencing January 1 next.

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Inspect Rock Bottom of Golden Gate



Here, for the first time, is pictured Golden Gate Bridge engineers on the bedrock beneath the foundation for the south tower pier at the edge of the "Gate." The engineers descended by means of one of eight vertical cylindrical inspection chambers which pierce a sixty-five-foot mass of concrete. By ladder, they reached one of the eight fifteen-foot-wide inspection bells, shown in the above photo.

those children will be without toys at Christmas will do all in their power to prevent a last-minute rush on the organization.

HAS NO INTENTION OF PROPOSING MERGER

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the maintenance of the integrity of the Canadian National Railways as a publicly-owned and publicly-controlled service.

"To me," said Mr. Manion, "this is not a reply at all, as you could have unification or amalgamation under government control inside the four corners of that reply."

"It is Mr. King's move now to tell the country just what position Mr. King's plan holds in Mr. King's mind. The people will be waiting for his answer."

SOME TOO PANICKY
While Dr. Manion said the railway situation was probably Canada's most serious problem, he suggested that some speakers and writers were too panicky about it.

Business was reviving, he declared, and railway revenues were up \$27,000,000 so far this year. Other indices pointed to improvement. "Under these circumstances it would appear to be the part of wisdom to wait a little longer before making irrevocable decisions, which might not be good either for the railways or for Canada."

A revival of business to the average condition from 1926 to 1929 would place both railway systems in Canada in a reasonably good financial position, and able once again to carry on to their own and Canada's advantage, said the Minister.

CHARGES EXTRAVAGANCE

Dealing with the past he maintained that nearly \$500,000,000 had been added to the Canadian National Railway debt during the Liberal regime. He condemned commitments of over \$200,000,000 in 1929 (pre-election year), which he said had been made on hotels, terminals, steamships, branch lines, and for the purchase of non-profit-making railways, none of which he said had been anything but a load to the Canadian National Railway.

He also charged great extravagance in operation from 1924 to 1929. Dr. Manion described many of the economies that have been put into effect since then and claimed that today the road is being efficiently and economically handled. He added that the railway situation has been improving during the last year, the Canadian National and Canadian Pacific together increasing their gross earnings by about \$26,000,000 in the past eleven months, compared with the same eleven months in 1933.

NEVER CONSIDERED

Speaking of the amalgamation rumors, he said: "The question of

amalgamation of the Canadian National and Canadian Pacific never has been even considered by the present Government." He emphasized this and illustrated the Government's position by quoting from the Canadian National-Canadian Pacific Railways Act of 1933, in which act the present Government had placed Clause 27, forbidding amalgamation of the two railways. He also quoted Premier Bennett's utterance, "competition ever—amalgamation never."

SENTENCE CONFIRMED

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 18 (CP).—The Supreme Court of Mexico today confirmed the sentence of sixteen years' imprisonment of Charles Frederick Whalley, British Great War flyer, who was convicted of the slaying in June, 1933, of David Emeno, head of the local branch of the Bank of Montreal.

Your Health and Your Weight

FAT ON OR IN THE ABDOMEN
By JAS. W. BARTON, M.D.

One of the distressing conditions that occur in men and women is the great accumulation of fat that gets deposited on and about the abdomen. Yet the doctor will tell you that nearly all these cases are "nutritional," that is due to eating too much food and not "working it off" by exercise.

Dr. Rost, Berlin, states that there exist three types of thick abdomen: (1) That due to deposit of fat in the abdominal wall immediately below the skin; (2) that due to deposit of fat within the abdomen, so-called intestinal fat, and (3) that in which, without any actual increase in fat, there is an enlargement of the size of the abdomen, often with an increase in the size of the abdominal organs, notably the intestine.

Overweight with enlarged abdomen due to fat is usually due to too much food; cases due to gland conditions being quite rare.

The distribution of fat in the body is, however, influenced by the ductless glands and by the character of the tissue. This accounts for the difference in the distribution of fat in men and women. Men get a large deposit of fat about the abdomen and women have more about the hips and shoulders.

When the thyroid gland in the neck is at fault—not manufacturing enough juice—the whole body may get fat, and the joints are heavy in appearance, whereas when the pituitary gland in the skull is not working too well, the joints may be slender, but the face is fat.

When the fat is due entirely to over-eating and under-exercising, it is found in the abdomen and in the neck.

Dr. Rost endeavored to find

EARTHQUAKES IN HONDURAS

TEGUCIGALPA, Honduras, Dec. 18 (AP).—Reports from the Copan district of Honduras, tonight, said earthquakes occurred there on Sunday and Monday. Monday night brought an especially strong shock which was felt here also.

BANK THIEVES TO DIE

KHABAROVSK, Siberia, Dec. 18 (AP).—Two bank clerks, A. P. Tutov and Y. A. Berestetzky, were sentenced to death today for the theft of 300,000 rubles from the Suchansk State Bank.

VETERAN TELEGRAPHER DEAD

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 18 (AP).—John W. Morse, ninety-seven, veteran telegrapher and third cousin of Samuel Morse, builder of the first practical telegraph, died today.

MAY ALTER CITY HALL

Structural Changes Will Be Necessitated by Proposed Reorganization

Reorganization of the City Hall staff would bring about considerable structural changes in the building itself, it was learned yesterday. Remodelling of the Council Chamber, relocation of the Mayor's office, alterations in the treasury department, city clerk's and comptroller's offices most likely would come within the plans of the structural change.

Under the auditor's survey report, the assessor's office and that of the collector of taxes would be consolidated, while the treasury department and the comptroller's department also would be merged.

This means that there would be two departments where three existed before. The two departments would comprise, first, the agency by which the city's revenues are collected, and secondly, the agency through which the city's bills are paid.

TRANSFERS NECESSARY
To consolidate these offices it would be necessary to transfer the present assessor's office to that of the treasury and collecting departments. This would mean provision of more space to accommodate the combined staffs.

This, in turn, would crowd out the comptroller's department, which is now situated in the treasury office, thus necessitating new quarters for the comptroller, who would also become treasurer.

Under the tentative scheme, the present comptroller's private office, the city clerk's office, the Mayor's and possibly the Mayor's secretary offices, would be converted into one large office for the comptroller's staff.

Members of the staff displaced by this structural change would be located probably on the second floor of the City Hall, and it is believed the alterations could be made in such a way that the council could be provided with an extra committee room, while the Council Chamber itself might be altered so that it would be more compact, and have better acoustic properties.

TRUTH MUST WIN THE DAY

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ernment had fallen their were such that within a few weeks of taking office it had been necessary to borrow vast sums of money to meet railway and other obligations.

"It has been my great hope that when we cease to hold office—and it will be a long time hence—that we can feel we have not left an intolerable burden for the next generation," said Mr. Bennett. "That the legacies we leave shall be legacies in the happier sense of the term—not obligations."

CLEAR-CUT CONVICTIONS

The party system of government involved men and women having

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CONTRIBUTIONS, whether of cash or kind, may be registered by telephoning the Gyro hamper fund headquarters, Yates at Vancouver Street, Empire 1127. After registering the donations, the contributors can call into the headquarters to give their gifts to the staff present at all times. Harold Butters, campaign manager, pointed out that all applications for hampers, either by letter, telephone or personal appearance, must be accompanied by the name, address and telephone number of the person giving the information. If this is not done, the Gyros will disregard the appeal, Mr. Butters said.

clear-cut convictions respecting the questions of the day, not in harmony or unity. People chose a party as the best means of expressing their opinions and performing their part in the development of their country. "I suggest that there is no question as to the policies of our party on great national problems," the Prime Minister continued. "But no man knoweth the policy of our Opposition except that what we adopt they oppose."

He discussed the Ottawa trade agreements.

"I thought Mr. King was sincere when he attempted to negotiate preferential trade agreements in 1923," said Mr. Bennett. "But, when what had been dreamed of and hoped for became a realization in 1932, they voted against them on every occasion. They even challenged us to make them the issue of a general election."

SEES A RECONTANTION

"But now the Opposition leader is no longer so vigorously opposed to the agreements," said Mr. Bennett, who saw in a recent speech by Mr. King a "recontantion" from the stand he had earlier taken.

"The policy of the Liberal party has been against interference in business," the Prime Minister continued. "They said to leave things alone and all would eventually be well. We know by the history of the past that the policy of laissez faire is no longer sufficient. The day of the robber barons is over."

Depression had brought a realization of abuses existing in the system and the parliamentary committee—now a royal commission—has been set up to investigate these abuses, and recommend to Parliament what remedies should be effected.

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such action as is within its competence," Mr. Bennett declared.

STEAL ON SCHEDULE

POPULAR BLUFF, Mo., Dec. 18 (CP).—Thieves steal Mike Walker's automobiles on schedule. He found his garage empty July 16, 1933; December 16, 1933; July 16, 1934, and December 16, 1934.

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COPENHAGEN, Denmark, Dec. 18 (AP).—Iceland repealed prohibition with respect to such matters, but I Reykjavik said.

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Passenger on Rescue Liner Gives Graphic Picture of Heroism

Describes in Full Detail Splendid Efforts of Men of Jean Jadot and Ascania to Take Off Crew of Usworth

By J. L. DUBAULT
Member of the staff of The Montreal Le Devoir, who was a passenger on the rescue liner Ascania.
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HALIFAX, Dec. 18 (CP).—Captain J. G. P. Bisset, R.D., R.N.R., of the R.M.S. Ascania, which arrived here this evening, can well be proud of his crew for their heroic conduct in rescuing the remaining nine survivors of the ill-fated Usworth. He deserves great credit for his unexcelled seamanship during the many hours of difficult rescue work in a gale-swept sea.

Passengers on board the Ascania were unanimous in praising the captain's able handling of the ship during the entire rescue. He waited prudently for an opportunity to launch a lifeboat, which he did at the right moment, and thus saved, without loss of life, the remaining survivors on board the Usworth.

ASCANIA ARRIVES
The Ascania arrived at the scene of the stricken vessel at approximately 6:30 a.m. on Friday. The Usworth's crew had taken shelter on the deck aft, where huge waves could still immerse them. They had to hold on to the rail to avoid being swept into the sea. The Usworth was then dangerously low in the water.

From 3 o'clock the Jean Jadot had been sailing around the Usworth waiting for daylight. Then the Ascania came along. She made large circles around the wrecked ship. The sea was so rough nothing worth while could be done, and at 8 o'clock the Ascania started pouring oil on the sea. It had little or no effect.

The Jean Jadot was cruising closer to the Usworth than the Ascania. Passengers were told that the Belgian ship's lifeboats were too small to be launched on such a rough sea.

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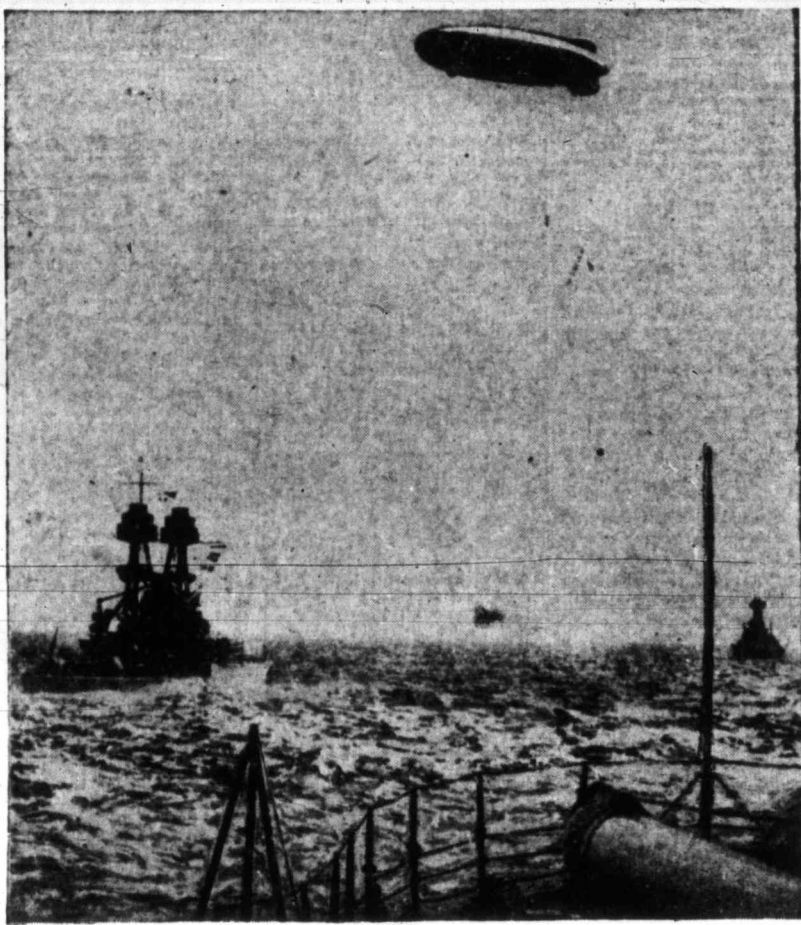
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Dirigible Plays Part in Sea Rescue



—Central Press Photograph.

Forced down on darkening Pacific waters during battle fleet manoeuvres, four United States naval aviators, in two seaplanes, were rescued December 8, after a dramatic search in sea and sky as the fleet steamed toward San Francisco. The dirigible Macon received credit for the rescue. Cruising the air lanes 300 miles west of Santa Barbara in search for the two planes forced down after taking off from the cruiser Cincinnati, the Macon dropped two scout planes from its "cellar door." Soon Vice Admiral Harris Laming, aboard the U.S.S. Chicago, received a wireless flash from the Macon: "We have sighted planes."

Absolutely nothing could be done to save them and they disappeared.

All the Usworth crew then gathered amidships on the port side, and when the lifeboat touched the side of the Usworth they jumped into it. Hastily, the lifeboat drew away. With great difficulty, helped by the few survivors who still had strength enough to pull an oar, the lifeboat crew managed to return to the Ascania.

The most difficult part of the rescue, that part that had sent to death fourteen sailors near the Jean Jadot less than two hours before, had yet to be done. There the skill of the third officer, in command of the lifeboat, saved the situation. He shouted orders to his crew and to the sailors on the Ascania. The lines were there waiting for the lifeboat. Without haste, the craft came close to the liner. The third officer first got hold of a cable and held it while the waves were rocking the lifeboat up and down.

TOO TIRED TO CLIMB
The survivors grabbed the three ladders hanging alongside the liner. They had to climb some thirty or forty feet. Some of them were too exhausted and could not climb. They were pulled up by ropes around their bodies. Another weakened while climbing and fell into the sea. He caught hold of the side lifeline dangling on the ship's side. The third officer, helped by two sailors, dragged him into the lifeboat.

In a moment all survivors but Captain Reed were on board the liner. One of the lifeboat crew had had his thigh broken, having been accidentally jumped on by a sailor of the Usworth while rescuing the survivors. He was lying in the bottom of the boat.

A line was tightened around his breast and, while being hoisted on board the liner, he was groaning, but did not faint.

The rest of the lifeboat crew climbed on the Ascania and Captain Reed remained with the Ascania's third officer. He finally climbed the ladder while the officer was still holding a line.

LAST TO LEAVE
The last, the gallant officer who had so ably steered the lifeboat to safety, left it. A wave took the abandoned lifeboat away on its crest like a nutshell.

This rescue from the standpoint of an actual observer on a rescue ship, to me is one of the most thrilling and eventful things that a man can witness. Here was displayed all the courage that can possibly be demanded from one fellow-seaman for another.

SAFETY MEASURE LAW IS SOUGHT

Police Chief Heatley Will Urge That New Device Be Made Compulsory by Legislation

Explaining that he considered the painting of white patches on the rear mudguards of bicycles, as undertaken by the Victoria Police Department, has done considerable towards greater safety on the streets at night, Police Chief Thomas Heatley yesterday stated he had written Commissioner McMullin, Provincial Police, seeking to have an amendment made to the Highway Act, providing that all bicycles be equipped with such "white tails."

Chief Heatley pointed out that in the Old Country such legislation has already been enacted. Since the painting of rear mudguards began two weeks ago at the police station, 300 cyclists have availed themselves of the free service. In expressing his appreciation of the response from riders of the city in following his advice to have their machines painted, the chief states that in future cyclists may have patches painted on their bicycles, free of charge, by applying at any cycle shop in the city.

GOES ABOARD ALL VESSELS

Santa Claus Finds Broad Decks Excellent for Landing On

"Yes, Virginia, there is a Santa Claus—at sea! Providing you are the same good little girl you are at home, and you select the right vessel for your Christmas cruise. And why shouldn't Santa call on you at sea? The broad decks make a fine landing place for his reindeer and sled, and just think how big the ship's chimney is!"

The above quotation was inspired by an interview with Ortel H. Smith, port steward for the Dollar Steamship Lines at San Francisco, who told of a couple who visited a ship in port in contemplation of a world cruise, starting a few days before Christmas. They were accompanied by a six-year-old daughter who did not like the idea because she was afraid "Santa couldn't find me." Port Steward Smith won her over and the family sailed.

All of which gave Port Steward Smith an opportunity to tell of the elaborate preparations his company makes for the happy, home-like enjoyment of Christmas at sea.

KIDDIES FIRST
"The kiddies are our first consideration," he said, "although the older guests are by no means overlooked. Each ship takes out her quota of Christmas trees. There are large trees for the social hall, and enough small table trees for each stateroom in which there are children. In this way a family can have their own tree in their own suite, just as in their home. All trees are glitteringly trimmed and tinselled, and the kiddies are encouraged to hang up their stockings, either in their own room or over the mantle in the social hall. These are filled with candy, nuts, favors and knick-knacks of great assortment."

"Then on each ship there is the usual big Christmas dinner, consisting of the proverbial turkey and all the trimmings. There is usually a community ship party and dancing the night before and on Christmas Day."

EIGHT LINERS
Smith pointed out that the Dollar Line has eight President liners plying continuously in the around-the-world service, and that Christmas each year finds the majority of these in far-off strange waters.

"But wherever they are," he smiled, "it's a good old-fashioned Christmas, be it Singapore or Suez on board a Dollar Line vessel. And at Christmas time, Santa Claus is there, both in spirit and in person."

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Death Removes Mrs. J. F. Keddie At Island Home

Mrs. Jessie Penton Keddie, widow of Grahame Keddie, aged eighty-seven years, passed away, yesterday at Shawigan Lake. She was the daughter of John and Ann McMaster, of Collingwood, Ontario, and had resided in British Columbia for over twenty years.

The funeral will be held at St. Stephen's Church, Saanich, at 12 o'clock, noon, on Friday, the cortege proceeding from the Shawigan Lake home at 11:30 o'clock. Rev. J. S. A. Bastin will officiate and interment will be made in St. Stephen's Cemetery.

D. B. McLAREN IS TAKEN BY DEATH

One of British Public Schools Club Founders Dies in Vancouver—Funeral Today

Funeral services for Duncan Bright McLaren, aged sixty years, who passed away on Saturday in the Vancouver General Hospital, will be held here this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel. Rev. T. R. Lancaster will officiate and interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

Born in Scotland, Mr. McLaren was for many years a resident of Victoria and had made his home in British Columbia since 1905. One of the founders of the British Public Schools Club of Victoria, Mr. McLaren was prominent in educational activities.

He was a graduate of Trinity College, Cambridge, Edinburgh University and George Watson's College, and a member of the B.P.O.E. of Victoria. He had been employed in the Lands Department of the Government, here, before moving to Vancouver several months ago.

He is survived by relatives in England. Mr. McLaren was the son of the late Lord McLaren, senator of the College of Justice in Scotland, and a nephew of the late Lord Abercrombie.

For many years Mr. McLaren carried on a public stenographer's office in the Campbell Building here.

EX-GOVERNOR IS CALLED BY DEATH

Hon. James Robson Douglas Was Prominent Business Man in Nova Scotia

MONTREAL, Dec. 18 (CP).—Hon. James Robson Douglas, former Lieutenant-Governor of Nova Scotia, died in Royal Victoria Hospital, here, last night.

He was a widely known Maritime business man and financier, a prominent leader in the fields of insurance and lumbering in his native province. His death at the age of fifty-eight brought to a close an active and distinguished career.

On January 23, 1928, Mr. Douglas was sworn in as Lieutenant-Governor of Nova Scotia, the youngest man ever to be appointed to that high office. He succeeded Lieutenant-Governor McCallum Grant and remained in office for eight months only, when, because of the pressure of his varied and extensive business interests, he was forced to resign.

FUNERAL TODAY
The funeral of Captain John Webber, who passed away at the family residence, 2017 Cameron Street, Saturday, will take place this afternoon in the chapel of the Sands Mortuary, Ltd. Major Fullerton will officiate and the remains will be laid at rest in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

TOLL BRIDGE TESTS BEGIN

Government Awards Contract for Test-Hole Borings on Fraser Project

Borings for the projected \$3,000,000 toll bridge over the Fraser River at New Westminster will be commenced at once, Hon. F. M. MacPherson announced yesterday. Contract for the test holes has been awarded to the Robinson Contracting Company, Ltd., of Vancouver, after a recent call for bids.

The bid of the successful firm was at the rate of \$5 per foot up to 800 feet in water holes, \$2.25 per foot for land holes on the south bank, and \$3 per foot for land holes on the north bank.

Boyles Bros., Ltd., Vancouver, tendered at \$6.25 per foot, and T. Connors Diamond Drilling Company, Ltd., also of Vancouver, \$9.50 per foot, with various limits.

Mr. MacPherson wired the Fraser River Bridge Company yesterday to get the work in hand at once, with the Robinson Contracting Company in charge of the test-hole borings.

DECISION WILL BE GIVEN LATER

Trial Involving Right to Indemnity From Assurance Fund Ends

The trial of Brown vs. Maynard, in which the attempt was made to establish, on the part of J. R. Brown, a claim upon the assurance fund which exists in connection with the land registry office whereby payment may be made by way of indemnity to owners who have suffered loss by reason of fraud, was concluded in the Supreme Court here, yesterday. Just how the act applies formed the subject matter of argument for several days past. Mr. Justice H. B. Robertson reserved judgment.

F. L. Shaw, acting for the trustee in bankruptcy, argued that the plaintiff must elect which course he was going to take, whether upon the undertaking which had been given by Mr. and Mrs. Maynard to indemnify the plaintiff, which document had been executed, or whether upon the claim entered with the trustee in bankruptcy.

H. W. Davey, for the plaintiff contended that the merging of claims was in order.

CROWN'S POSITION
C. H. O'Halloran, for the Attorney-General and the Minister of Finance, as the main point in his argument, pressed that the assurance fund was intended to be an indemnity to be invoked only when the owner of the property had suffered loss which would not have been suffered if the Land Registry Act were not in force. If the act barred an action at common law, then the right to the fund would be established.

His argument was that this had not been proved to be the case in this particular instance. To establish a claim would require the perpetration of fraud in the registration of the title.

Arthur Patton, who acted for the defendant in the action, took the position that there had been a sale of the property concerned, made by the plaintiff to his client. The document under which he had subscribed to the property being held "in trust" had been signed by him only under pressure.

Mr. Davey argued that the intention of Maynard to hold the land was not established. The transfer of the land was secured by him only to facilitate the mortgage transactions in connection with the Elk Lake property.

Contributions for Gyro Club Hamper Fund Announced

Gradually the Gyro Christmas Hamper Fund is creeping towards its objective of \$5,000. Additional donations announced last night by Harold Butters, campaign manager, were:

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SOCIALISM IN SWITZERLAND

The Canton of Geneva, wherein is located the headquarters of the League of Nations, has an Executive Council that is a Socialist Government. It is the first and only Socialist Government in the Swiss Confederation, and its administration has fallen on evil days. To carry out Socialist schemes, new and heavy taxation has become necessary. Before, however, this can be approved it has to receive the consent of the people at a referendum. The new taxation has been rejected by an overwhelming majority. The Executive Council, in order to carry on, applied to the banks, to which the Government is already heavily in debt. The banks replied that before a further loan is made the budget should be balanced. The Executive Council then appealed to the Federal Government, but that authority also said that the budget must be balanced.

Now the officials of the Executive Council of the Canton of Geneva have had to forego the receipt of their salaries, as the money is not available, and they have accepted the usque with a very bad grace. The extraordinary thing about the Government in question is that it is in a minority in the Assembly as well as in the Canton. Socialism, however, despite public opinion, has a tendency to hang on to office. The non-Socialist parties between them have fifty-five seats out of the one hundred in the Legislative Assembly. One of the troubles that the Government faces is the fact that it is largely under Communist influence. One of the leaders is a naturalized Russian. In the process of its administration the Socialist Government threatened to nationalize the banks. The reply was an instant withdrawal of funds from the Geneva banks and an exodus of the wealthy residents. Under Socialism the Canton of Geneva has got into a sorry mess. The inevitable ending of the Socialists now in power is their ignominious defeat.

"MERCIFUL" DEATHS

Many pitiable human tragedies of sickness again and again bring up the question of whether there is justification for putting an end to life where suffering is almost intolerable and where recovery, according to all medical knowledge, is impossible. There are those, and they are numerous, who claim that it would be an act of mercy to put an end to suffering. This is a viewpoint that, on the face of it, seems to be inspired by humanitarian principles, but there are other considerations that enter into this question that cannot be ignored. The power of life and death in its natural processes does not belong to man. The act of putting any person out of agony cannot be justified on the basis of eternal principles. The issue has nothing whatever to do with public opinion, what this one thinks or what the other may consider the right course to follow. Public opinion is variable. It sanctioned child murder in Pagan Rome. The only criterion by which the right of putting to death a person suffering agony is referable to the Law of God.

The issue has nothing to do with the taking of life in self-defence or with capital punishment. Both these are sanctioned by the Christian religion. What the issue has to do with is eternal principles. The flame of human life is God-given, and it is for God to take it away. No man could voluntarily take human life, even for the purpose of ending human agony, without violating his own conscience. "Suffering," says a writer on the subject, "is one of the greatest mysteries of life, but God has worked some of His greatest miracles in men's souls through suffering. Have not some of the happiest souls been those who have lived a life of suffering? No man can enter into another man's brain and see what is going on—and no man dare take that life which may yet not have arrived at the end of its being. That is union with God."

Arnold Lunn wrote that, "If this were the only life, there is something to be said for eliminating from the contest those who have no chance of a prize, but if Christianity be true, then the most abject of men is precious in the sight of God, and the greatest of all prizes is within his reach, namely, fulfillment of the purpose for which he was created." Those who have the concept that, for humanitarian reasons, life might legitimately be destroyed, in part at least, what are the processes and the purpose of life itself. "This momentary existence," said the late Father Bernard Vaughan, "is not the great drama, but its prologue; not the book of life, but its preface; not the eternal shore, but the outward voyage thereto; not the better land, but the journey thither."

No process of argument can justify the taking of human life for the purpose of mercy to the person slain. That conception means a reversion to Paganism. It is only rigid adherence to the Law of God that prevents the world from drifting into the tide of lawless and confused thought. There are fixed Divine principles where life is concerned. Hamlet realized this when he called out in the agony of spirit from which he was suffering:

"Oh that this too, too solid flesh would melt,
Thaw and resolve itself into a dew;
Or that I might not suffer when I suffer."

NEWSPAPER ACCURACY

Most newspapers are accurate, despite the common remark that you can't believe anything you see in the press. It is, of course, only those of sordid dispositions who make this remark, perhaps, because some trifling inaccuracy related to their own doings has crept into the newspaper, or because they do not see there what pleases their dogmatic minds. Mr. Frank R. Kent, of The Baltimore Sun, has something pertinent to say of the accuracy of newspapers, and that there should be such sustained accuracy in the face of so many forces—including an inexorable press time that make for inaccuracy is a tribute to the letter-day conduct of the press as a whole.

Mr. Kent admits that even the best newspapers may make mistakes, but he says, "In no business and in no profession, save that of the pure scientist, is the premium on accuracy so high and the penalty for inaccuracy so prompt, and the proportion of accuracy so great." He defends this statement on the ground that newspaper writers are congenitally more accurate than others, but that mistakes in newspapers never go unnoticed. In other businesses and professions mistakes may be made and known to only a few people. The newspaper makes its mistakes in the open for all to read; they are spread before the eyes of thousands. They are discerned at once. Some one is sure to catch the mistake. There are readers who are forever vigilant, aggressive and resentful even about the paper to which they subscribe, or it may be jealous of its reputation. When they discern a mistake they at once communicate with the editor. These readers are valuable assets. Their vigilance has a corrective influence for which all newspapers are thankful.

In comment on what Mr. Kent says, The New York Times recalls that Lord Halifax used to say that men were not hanged for stealing horses but that horses might not be stolen. "On the same principle," says the New York paper, "the subscriber who calls attention to an error does not merely help to get that particular error corrected; he helps to keep alive on the newspaper that eternal vigilance which is the price of accuracy as well as of liberty."

SURGERY OF THE BRAIN

Brain surgery is of comparatively recent origin, for it was only fifty years ago that the first operation was performed for the removal of a tumor from the brain. This took place at the Maida Vale Hospital, in London, a hospital now known specifically for Nervous Disease. It is in the overcoming of that disease that such wonderful progress has been made in half a century, and the Maida Vale institution has been a pioneer in this regard. Following the first brain operation there was a flood of opposition. The London Times, in December, 1884, and January, 1885, published sixty-four letters on the subject, many of them expressing violent opposition, especially from opponents of vivisection. That opposition has now largely ceased. New triumphs are constantly attending surgery of the brain, which has been named one of the great romances of modern therapy.

It was Broca, and Hughlings Jackson who showed "that areas of the brain are related to areas of the body, and that consequently bodily symptoms can be used as guides to pathological conditions within the skull." The London Times, referring to the jubilee of brain surgery, points out that experimental proof was furnished by Ferrier and immediately made use of by Macewen of Glasgow in his operating theatre. Macewen earned the title of the first brain surgeon. His efforts were directed to the cure of depressed fractures and abscesses. It was Godlee who removed the first tumor at the Maida Vale Hospital. The jubilee of that operation has just been celebrated.

THE OLD HOME

We leave the well-beloved place
Where first we gazed upon the sky;
The roofs that heard our earliest cry:
We shelter one of stronger race.
We go, but ere we go from home,
As down the garden-walks I move
Two spirits of a diverse love
Content for loving mastery.
One whispers: Here my boyhood sung
Long since its matin song, and heard
The low love-language of the bird,
In native hazel tassel-hung.
The other answers: Yea, but here
Thy feet have strayed in after hours
With thy lost friend among the bowers,
And this hath made them treble dear.

—Tennyson.

None are so fond of secrets as those who do not mean to keep them; such persons covet secrets as a spendthrift covets money, for the purpose of circulation.—Colton.

Favor exalts a man above his equals, but his dismissal from that favor places him below them.

—La Bruyere.

O Winter! ruler of the inverted year
I crown thee king of intimate delights.

—Cowper.

Philosophy easily triumphs over past and future ills; but present ills triumph over philosophy.

—Rochefoucauld.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 7:00 p.m., December 18, 1934.

SYNOPSIS OF WEATHER CONDITIONS
The barometer remains low over Northern British Columbia, and rainy, mild weather continues on the Coast and Lower Mainland.

Zero temperatures are becoming general in Saskatchewan and Manitoba.

PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES
(Precipitation for twelve hours to 5:00 p.m.; temperatures for twenty-four hours.)

	Snow	Rain	Min.	Max.
Victoria	—	27	43	48
Nanaimo	—	28	42	49
Vancouver	—	58	40	50
Kamloops	—	32	40	—
Prince George	—	01	28	38
Estevan Point	—	34	46	50
Prince Rupert	—	26	40	44
Atlin	20	—	10	16
Dawson	—	18	20	26
Seattle	—	58	46	48
Portland	—	34	42	48
San Francisco	—	50	60	66
Lokane	—	80	—	32
Los Angeles	—	—	52	72
Penticton	—	34	—	—
Vernon	—	—	32	—
Grand Forks	1.00	—	28	34
Nelson	1.00	—	31	34
Cranbrook	—	—	30	37
Calgary	—	—	14	40
Edmonton	—	—	8	18
Swift Current	—	—	16	24
Prince Albert	Trace	—	6	18
Saskatoon	—	—	4	22
Qu'Appelle	—	—	10	4
Winnipeg	—	—	4	12
Moose Jaw	Trace	—	12	22
Monday	—	—	—	—
Toronto	—	—	18	35
Ottawa	—	—	0	26
Montreal	—	—	10	24
Saint John	—	—	10	20
Halifax	—	—	17	18

TUESDAY

Maximum 48
Minimum 43
Average 46
Minimum on the grass 40
Weather, cloudy; sunshine, 1 hour, 12 minutes; rain, 32.

5:00 P.M. WEATHER—PORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 30.02; wind, W, 16 miles; cloudy.
Vancouver—Barometer, 29.98; calm; fair.
Kamloops—Barometer, 30.02; wind, E, 8 miles; fair.
Prince George—Barometer, 29.72; wind, S, 4 miles; clear.
Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.52; wind, SE, 8 miles; raining.
Estevan Point—Barometer, 29.98; wind, W, 6 miles; fair.
Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.04; wind, W, 6 miles; fair.
Portland—Barometer, 29.16; wind, S, 6 miles; raining.
Seattle—Barometer, 30.10; wind, SW, 8 miles; raining.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

Now see that noble and most sovereign reason,
Like sweet bells jangled, out of tune and harsh.

Tear a passion to tatters, to very rags,
To split the ears of the groundlings.

—Shakespeare.

The shadows of the year are lengthening. Before the end of the current week the sun will have accomplished his season's work in the South and will be on his way North to begin, or rather to continue, a work which never ends. Astronomically, Friday will be the shortest day of the year. Practically atmospheric conditions determine when the days of the year begin to lengthen and the shadows begin to diminish in length. The one thing certain is that the old year is dying and that within a few days we shall be extending the usual boisterous welcome to the new year.

Some of the many profound economists of the time say that the old year is not the only abstract thing that is dying. They say the old economic and political orders are dying too and must soon give place to the new. They say what the world needs is new leadership. During the old year many new leaders of new movements have become prominent in politics and economics, and some of the old political leaders who were believed to be dead have sprung into active life again. In Great Britain Rt. Hon. David Lloyd George, who had retired from public life, but not from public notoriety, to become a farmer, has dropped his hands from the plough and announced that he will become an active leader in a new political and economic deal.

The big little man from Wales never hid his light under a bushel. At seventy-one years of age his physical force may have abated a trifle, but his mental powers do not appear to have diminished at all. After he had won the war (which he might have won much sooner but for the incapacity of all his generals, British and French), the politicians turned upon him and forced him into private life. Then he began to write articles for the papers and to write and publish books purporting to prove that there was but one military and political genius in the age and that human ingratitude and jealousy prevented him from finishing his work. It is to finish that interrupted work that Mr. George, like Mr. Gladstone at approximately the same age, is going to pick up the mantle of leadership and save not only England but the Empire.

The beginning of a year always is the time to make resolutions and plans. We expect that while he was following the plough, and possibly counting his pigs, Mr. George's mind was active; that while keeping his hands on the agricultural implement he was on the watch for possible opportunities.

During the year about to be born some parliaments will die. The Canadian Parliament has almost reached its allotted span of life. The Imperial Parliament is nearing the end of its constitutional term. Opportunity is beckoning to leaders of new movements in both the United Kingdom and Canada. Looking across the ocean to the United States, where President Roosevelt is wrestling with his New Deal, occasionally with new hope and sometimes with old fear, Mr. George was hit on the head by an idea and believed he saw an opportunity. The result is a British Recovery Plan.

The United States is spending billions of dollars in the hope of stimulating business and providing work for many millions of idle men. Great Britain is recovering fast without recourse to hothouse economic measures, but there are still about two million idle men there. The conditions in the United States, with from ten to fifteen million unemployed, are abnormal. The conditions in Britain, with two million unemployed, are about normal. That is the difference in the conditions in the two countries. Treatment which in one case might be successful, in the other case might not be so successful.

Under the old plan the foreign trade of Great Britain, like the external trade of Canada under the existing plan, is rapidly expanding. Under the new plan the external trade of the United States is contracting. And it is an interesting thing that the statesmen of the United States are agreed that no deal, new or old, can be successful unless it results in growth of foreign trade; that there never can be prosperity for any nation as long as there are barriers to the increase of foreign trade.

We expect that with the dissolution of the Canadian Parliament a number of new leaders will spring into the political limelight, in addition to some comparatively old leaders who have fallen back into the dim light. Rt. Hon. William Lyon Mackenzie King never has contemplated any kind of deal except reciprocity with the United States. It is true that the leader of the Liberal party has recanted on the subject of trade within the Empire (which has been the salvation of both Canada and Great Britain during the period of the depression). Mr. King has what is called a single-track mind; his train of economic thought is stalled. The forces upon which he relies, the so-called Liberals of Quebec, are more Tory than their ancestors, the Bourbons. When the Hepburns of Ontario and the Mackenzies and McGeers of British Columbia go on the stump and attack the reactionaries of the East, they may create as much political confusion in Canada as Mr. Lloyd George is likely to arouse in Britain.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except those of greatest interest and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception. No letter should exceed 800 words in length.

UNPAID WATER RATES

Sir,—It has recently been brought to my attention that there are in the City of Victoria, families occupying premises from which, on account of unpaid water rates, the water has been shut off.

Will you, Mr. Editor, be good enough to answer, or to have one of the legal fraternity answer, through the medium of your paper, the following question relative thereto:

In the event of an outbreak of typhoid or other pestilence, will the city and the board of health be liable to actions for damages from the victims or their families, as being parties to such a deplorable condition of affairs?

In war time it may have been considered good procedure to destroy the enemies' water supplies, but in a supposedly Christian community, where there is no scarcity of water, but where hundreds of thousands of gallons are running to waste, to menace the health of the city at large, as well as the well-being of innocent children in the homes so deprived, how can a citizen withhold his protest and remain innocent when the day of reckoning comes?

Over viewed from a purely materialistic standpoint, what would be the effect upon the much-talked-of tourist business of such an outbreak as we must expect as a result of the city's unreasonable regulations?

N. Y. CROSS.

140 Moss Street, Victoria, B.C., December 17, 1934.

CHILD WELFARE

Sir,—The series of articles appearing daily in The Colonist by the Child Welfare Specialist, Dr. Reginald H. Wiggins, are as sunshine in a storm-tossed selfish world.

When we fully realize that our only hope for well-balanced peaceful conditions depends upon the reconstruction of humanity through the reformation of the physical and mental standards of the coming generations, we older dogs, who are perhaps past redemption, will appreciate, in some measure, the noble self-sacrificing endeavors along the new lines of "prevention" by such capable, practical reformers as Dr. Wiggins, who is deserving of all the assistance and encouragement that can be given him, not only by the mothers of children who are benefitting by his advice and assistance, but also by governmental and other organizations interested in practical child welfare as the logical and most important first step to the proposed health insurance through prevention.

Verily the old order changeth and it cannot change too soon. The practice of medicine, of hospitals, and allied institutions must be freed from the money-making influence. The peace of the world depends more than we yet realize upon a healthy body and an equally healthy mind and outlook.

A. J. MORLEY.

1246 Montrose Avenue, Victoria, B.C., December 17, 1934.

MOONRISE AND MOONSET

Time of moonrise and moonset (Pacific standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of December, 1934.

Date	Rise	Set
1	2:00 a.m.	1:20 p.m.
2	3:09 a.m.	1:40 p.m.
3	4:22 a.m.	2:02 p.m.
4	5:39 a.m.	2:28 p.m.
5	6:58 a.m.	2:58 p.m.
6	8:08 a.m.	3:34 p.m.
7	9:12 a.m.	4:11 p.m.
8	10:03 a.m.	4:59 p.m.
9	10:41 a.m.	5:53 p.m.
10	11:11 a.m.	6:51 p.m.
11	11:34 a.m.	7:53 p.m.
12	11:55 a.m.	8:58 p.m.
13	12:14 p.m.	10:06 p.m.
14	12:33 p.m.	11:12 a.m.
15	12:54 p.m.	12:28 a.m.
16	1:18 p.m.	1:44 a.m.
17	1:45 p.m.	2:58 a.m.
18	2:25 p.m.	3:44 a.m.
19	3:11 p.m.	4:14 a.m.
20	3:58 p.m.	4:59 a.m.
21	4:42 p.m.	5:54 a.m.
22	5:21 p.m.	6:55 a.m.
23	6:02 p.m.	7:58 a.m.
24	6:45 p.m.	8:58 a.m.
25	7:30 p.m.	9:53 a.m.
26	8:18 p.m.	10:43 a.m.
27	9:11 p.m.	11:40 a.m.
28	10:08 p.m.	12:34 a.m.
29	11:01 p.m.	1:22 a.m.
30	11:55 p.m.	2:02 p.m.
31	12:42 p.m.	2:38 p.m.

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

Italy has no great mineral wealth. The most important mineral is sulphur.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of December 19, 1884.)

Equivalents School Tests—The Christmas examination of the Equivalents Public School, W. H. Phipps, teacher, was held yesterday. During the morning the junior classes were examined by the teacher in reading, spelling, arithmetic, etc., after which the senior classes were examined by the secretary of the Board of School Trustees, Mr. Cartmel, in geography, history, literary, algebra and other subjects. The students not only have made excellent progress in ordinary subjects, but show a great aptitude for the higher branches of learning.

Ship Floated—The steamer Alexander floated off the rocks at Departure Bay yesterday, and will come into Victoria Harbor for repairs. The extent of the damage is unknown, but it is presumed she suffered severe damage to her hull after smashing on the rocks.

Appointment Confirmed—The appointment of Edwin Johnson as police magistrate has been confirmed by the Governor-in-Council. Mr. Johnson has also been appointed a Justice of the Peace for the Province. Mr. Johnson will, he hopes, be so far recovered from his recent illness as to be able to take his seat on the bench on Monday.

Johnson Street Ward—B. W. Pearce, William McKay and Orlando Warner last night announced that they would be candidates for the Johnson Street Ward in the coming election.

THE COLONIST IN LONDON

The Colonist may be procured at the International News Stand of Messrs. Selfridge & Co. Oxford Street.

FIVE SHOPPING DAYS REMAIN

No Half-Holiday Today—Stores Will Be Open Late Three Evenings

With only five shopping days remaining before Christmas, the streets of the downtown area were crowded with people, yesterday, despite the rain, and merchants prepared to handle even greater crowds during the remainder of this week, and next Monday.

All stores will be opened this afternoon until 6 o'clock, instead of being closed for the usual half-holiday. Tomorrow the stores will remain open until 6 o'clock, but on Friday, business will be transacted up to as late as 9 p.m.

Saturday is expected to see the greatest rush of all, and merchants will keep their shops open until 9 p.m.

For the convenience of those purchasing eleven-hour gifts, and for those who have been unable to secure their supplies for the festive board earlier, the stores will remain open until 9 p.m. on Monday.

Staffs of the various stores are continually being supplemented now to handle the large volume of trade, and it is expected that more extra help will be employed as the week draws to a close.

GYRO CLUB HOLDS YULETIDE FETE

Informal Programme Brings Luncheon for This Year to Conclusion—Guests Present

The Gyro Club took time off from arduous duties in connection with the club's Christmas Hamper Fund campaign, Monday, and enjoyed the annual Christmas luncheon at the Empress Hotel. Final plans for the campaign were discussed and prizes awarded.

Guests at the luncheon included Edward Whyte, of the local Burns Club, who is in charge of the club's hamper shipping department, and Robert Smith, announcer for the nightly Gyro Christmas broadcasts. Frank C. Anders, head of the Home Oil Optimists, was also present.

Alderman-Elect Archie Willis, a member of the Gyro Club, brought cigars to his fellow clubmen in honor of winning an aldermanic seat in last week's election. Mr. Willis was congratulated by President Leonard Woodhouse.

James C. Kemp, head waiter at the hotel, and members of his staff were given a small token of appreciation from the club.

It was announced that the next luncheon would be held on January 7.

Tides at Victoria

Time of tides (Pacific standard time), Victoria, B.C., for the month of December, 1934.

Date	High	Low	High	Low	High	Low	High	Low
1	1:30	4:10	5:4	8:1	10:35	4:5	8:1	10:35
2	2:34	5:18	6:1	8:4	11:39	5:4	8:4	11:39
3	3:39	6:28	7:1	9:4	12:43	6:5	9:4	12:43
4	4:42	7:39	8:1	10:9	1:47	7:9	10:9	1:47
5	5:45	8:50	9:1	11:27	2:51	8:9	11:27	2:51
6	6:48	10:01	10:1	12:31	3:55	9:9	12:31	3:55
7	7:51	11:12	11:1	1:35	4:59	10:9	1:35	4:59
8	8:54	12:23	12:1	2:39	6:03	11:9	2:39	6:03
9	9:57	1:34	1:1	3:43	7:07	12:9	3:43	7:07
10	10:59	2:45	2:1	4:47	8:11	1:1	4:47	8:11
11	12:02	3:56	3:1	5:51	9:15	2:1	5:51	9:15
12	1:05	5:07	4:1	6:55	10:19	3:1	6:55	10:19
13	2:08	6:18	5:1	7:59	11:23	4:1	7:59	11:23
14	3:11	7:29	6:1	8:53	12:27	5:1	8:53	12:27
15	4:14	8:40	7:1	9:57	1:31	6:1	9:57	1:31
16	5:17	9:51	8:1	10:51	2:35	7:1	10:51	2:35
17	6:20	11:02	9:1	11:55	3:39	8:1	11:55	3:39
18	7:23	12:13	10:1	12:59	4:43	9:1	12:59	4:43
19	8:26	1:14	11:1	1:53	5:47	10:1	1:53	5:47
20	9:29	2:17	12:1	2:57	6:51	11:1	2:57	6:51
21	10:32	3:21	1:1	3:51	7:55	12:1	3:51	7:55
22	11:35	4:24	2:1	4:45	8:59	1:1	4:45	8:59
23	12:38	5:28	3:1	5:39	10:03	2:1	5:39	10:03
24	1:41	6:31	4:1	6:33	11:07	3:1	6:33	11:07
25	2:44	7:35	5:1	7:27	12:11	4:1	7:27	12:11
26	3:47	8:39	6:1	8:31	1:15	5:1	8:31	1:15
27	4:50	9:42	7:1	9:35	2:19	6:1	9:35	2:19
28	5:53	10:46	8:1	10:39	3:23	7:1	10:39	3:23
29	6:56	11:49	9:1	11:43	4:27	8:1	11:43	4:27
30	7:59	12:53	10:1	12:47	5:31	9:1	12:47	5:31
31	9:02	1:56	11:1	1:51	6:35	10:1	1:51	6:35

Evening BAGS

Silk, in black, brown and blue, with a touch of white metal decoration.

Bead, in solid white of black in colors and brilliant set.

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Everyone recognizes its true quality on the first sip. Ever since 1670 Warren & Co. of Oporto (Portugal) have been growing and bottling this noble Port. Always aged 30 years in wood.

Convido is never sold in bulk.

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Rochelle In From California Ports; Lumber Ship Due

In from California ports, the Kingsley Navigation Company's freighter Ss. Rochelle arrived alongside Ogden Point Pier at midnight, Monday, and after discharging some general cargo, proceeded to Mainland ports early yesterday morning.

Completing discharge of 2000 tons of nitrate at James Island, the freighter Henry S. Grove will shift this morning to Tacoma to complete discharging there.

To load lumber for the United Kingdom, the freighter Virginia Nicholson is due alongside Ogden Point Pier this morning, according to King Brothers, shipping agents.

OCTOGENARIAN OF E. WELLINGTON DIES

NANAIMO, Dec. 18.—Mrs. Janet C. Pilgrim, eighty-four, died today at the home of her son, Thomas, Pilgrim, at East Wellington. Mrs. Pilgrim came to Canada from Scotland eighty-three years ago, settling with her parents in Meaford, Ont. Fifteen years ago she came to East Wellington, where she leaves a host of friends.

She is survived by two sons, James, of Meaford, Ont., and Thomas, East Wellington. Pending funeral arrangements the remains repose at the Chapman Funeral Parlors, Nanaimo.

Auto Overturns; Driver Unknown

Following an all-day investigation, Saanich police had been unable up to a late hour last night, to locate the driver of an automobile that was found overturned on Cadboro Bay Road yesterday morning.

The automobile was considerably damaged and was ordered taken to a city garage. The machine, according to police, is registered in the name of James McCabe, 810 Caledonia Avenue. Inquiries at 810 Caledonia Avenue, yesterday afternoon, failed to locate Mr. McCabe.

It was reported to the Saanich police by an eye-witness, that the automobile skidded on the wet pavement, ran part way up an embankment and then toppled over on its side. The driver was reported to have been seen leaving the car, apparently uninjured.

MANY AT FUNERAL

The funeral of Ernest W. Millington took place, yesterday afternoon, at which a large congregation of friends was present. Rev. Dr. W. G. Wilson officiated. The hymns sung were "Nearer, My God, to Thee" and "Abide With Me." The Odd Fellows attended in a body and a delegation from the A.O.F. was present. The following acted as pallbearers: Bro. R. Livingston, P.G.; Bro. T. C. Hubbard, P.G., representing the I.O.O.F.; Bro. S. Holman, Bro. Fred Casleton, P.C.R., representing A.O.F., and J. Hall and A. I. Kirkpatrick, representing Weller Bros. The I.O.O.F. service, at the graveside, was conducted by Bro. F. A. MacLean, Acting N.G., assisted by Bro. W. J. Gower, acting chaplain. The remains were laid at rest in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

GORDON F. KILSBY REMOVED BY DEATH

Gordon Frederick Kilsby, aged twenty-one years, only surviving son of Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Kilsby, 324 Chester Street, died last night at the Royal Jubilee Hospital. He was born on Christmas Day, 1912.

Besides his parents, he is survived by one sister, Vinnie. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

Winter Horse Show In Aid of Hospital Attracts Big Crowd

Spectacular Riding and Getting Seen by Hundreds—Show Under Auspices of Jubilee Junior W.A., Victoria Riding Club and Academy

THE Winter Horse Show, held last night at the Willows Horse Show Building, and attended by over 1,000 spectators, was undoubtedly one of the best exhibitions of the kind ever put on in Victoria. The whole show, from the opening speech by His Worship Mayor Leeming, to the final item of the programme, the game of "Nolo," went with a swing and a smartness which added greatly to the finish of the production, and the particularly fine appearance of the horses was most noteworthy.

The building had been gaily decorated for the occasion with quantities of red, white and blue bunting and flags, cedar and fir boughs and decorated Christmas trees, one of the entrances to the ring having an evergreen arch outlined with colored lights from which red Christmas bells were suspended.

MAYOR OFFICIATES

In opening the show at 8:30 o'clock, His Worship the Mayor expressed, on behalf of the Junior W.A. of the Jubilee Hospital, appreciation of the Victoria Riding Club's splendid effort in arranging the show and to the British Columbia Provincial Police for their part in the evening's entertainment, as well as to the citizens of Victoria for showing their interest in the project by supporting the show so splendidly. He paid particular tribute to what the Victoria Riding Academy is doing in fostering an interest in riding and towards establishing riding paths in the surrounding districts in order that riding may be encouraged.

The band of the Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., under the direction of Bandmaster C. E. Raine, was in attendance, playing during the short intervals and for the musical events.

NEW GAME

It would be difficult, from such a varied and well-arranged programme, to select any one number as the "hit" of the evening, but special interest centred in the game of "nolo," which was invented a short time ago by J. E. Mathews, of Victoria, and which has been played with great success in the United States. Two women's teams took part and showed remarkable skill in handling their mounts and in wielding the nolo sticks. The game is similar to polo, yet resembles lacrosse. Those playing were Mrs. J. E. Mathews, Miss M. Robertson, Miss D. Pooley, as one team, and Mrs. W. E. Mitchell, Mrs. D. B. Carley and Mrs. Van der Vliet as the opposing team. This was the first occasion upon which the game has been played in Canada, and it will undoubtedly become one of the fastest and most interesting of mounted games.

MUSICAL RIDE

As an outstanding spectacular number, the audience enjoyed the musical ride. Thirty-two riders, in the smartest of uniforms, with breeches, scarlet, brass-buttoned cadet tunics with dark blue cuffs and jaunty little "pill-box" caps to match, taking part in the series of intricate figures and mazes, in which the addition of long lances, with red and white pennants, carried by the riders, added to its brilliant effect.

This number brought forth rounds of applause from the spectators. Those taking part were: Mrs. W. E. Mitchell, Mrs. J. Macallan, Mrs. B. Barnes, Mrs. Macdonald, Mrs. J. E. Mathews, Mrs. D. B. Carley, Mrs. W. Johnston, Mrs. Van der Vliet, Miss D. Pooley, Miss J. McQueen, Miss M. Bullock-Webster, Miss C. Johnson, Miss B. Cockburn, Miss M. Robertson, Miss J. Rittell, Miss B. O'Brien, Miss V. Shandley, Miss M. Whyte, Miss R. Randall, Miss G. Wren, Miss M. Lindsay, Master "Chum" Carley, Commander Silingsby, Major Daniels, W. Reade, D. B. McConnan, Mrs. J. G. Hazelwood, G. Edgelow, W. Johnston, F. Johnston, Dr. T. Mercer and I. Ross.

Master "Chum" Carley, nine years old, riding his pony, Kobby, twenty-five years old, received tremendous applause in his exhibition of four foot-jumps, bare-back. The children's jumping in pairs was also very fine. Miss Pam Mitchell, Miss Cynthia Yarrow, Miss Felicity Crab, Miss Verran Yarrow, Miss Peggy Gaird and Miss Rachel Jukes showing amazing assurance and knowledge in the handling of their horses, their exhibition being faultless.

TANDEM JUMPING

Another particularly interesting exhibition was the tandem jumping by Mrs. W. E. Mitchell and Miss Margot Robertson. Each rode her own horse, driving another horse in front, which preceded the rider over the jumps in a manner which brought prolonged applause from the spectators. It was a most difficult feat, splendidly performed.

Mrs. J. E. Mathews, Mrs. D. B. Carley and Mr. Ian Ross also appeared in an exhibition high-jumping number, one of the most enthusiastically received items on the long programme.

There was skill, comedy and near tragedy in the V.C. Race, performed by Messrs. G. Edgelow, G. Tyson, W. Johnston, Ian Ross, B. Shanks, J. Macallan, N. Van der Vliet and Master J. Macdonald, the riders finding great difficulty in managing to carry their un-

wieldy dummies over the brush jumps.

RIDERLESS HORSE

As if by magic, Sir Wilfred, one of the finest horses in the stables gave a brilliant performance, riderless, responding to a mere crack from the whip of the master of ceremonies, D. B. Carley. It was an exhibition of fine schooling and won great applause.

Two three-horse jumping teams, consisting of Mrs. Van der Vliet, Mrs. B. Barnes, Mrs. M. F. Hunter and Miss M. Lindsay, Mr. Van der Vliet and Mr. G. Edgelow gave an interesting display, each trio jumping simultaneously and then the clearing of the long brush jump at the same moment down the centre of the ring.

A note of comedy was introduced in the musical chairs, in which Miss B. O'Brien, Miss R. Bogart, D. Mcintosh, C. Onions, R. Morley, B. Shanks, H. Edwood, J. Myers, Master J. Macdonald, G. Edgelow, J. Macallan, W. Johnston and Master B. Sinclair took part. D. R. Park sang two delightful cowboy solos, with banjo accompaniment, "The Last Roundup" and "Wagon Wheels."

POLICE EXHIBITION

A special word of praise is accorded the display of the British Columbia Provincial Police, who scored an even greater success than last year. Several of the men who were to have taken part had been called to the Mainland on duty and in their place several recruits, whose riding experience was a matter of only a few weeks, gave a remarkably good performance. Under the direction of Corporal E. Williamson, those taking part were Constables G. Armstrong, M. Fetherstonhaugh, J. Scott, Al Davis, Constable Carmichael and Constable Connelly. In addition to wrestling on horseback they did their famous "human arch" jumping stunt. Mrs. E. Williamson also taking part in this, as there was one man short. Another feature which was an exhibition of good training was the jumping in which the rider fired a shot as the horse was put over the hurdle. In a "sham attack" the mount of one of the police officers, "shot," slowly lowered itself to the ground, while the other riders fired guns from behind the animal. It lay on the ground motionless and at a final command sprang to its feet. This brought cheers from the onlookers.

COULD ELIMINATE IMPORTS OF CORN

OTTAWA, Dec. 18 (CP).—Millions of pounds of imported corn now used in the manufacture of a wide variety of food products could be replaced by Canadian potatoes, thereby using up the entire potato surplus of 7,000,000 bushels, a conference of experts called to devise new uses and new markets for potatoes was told, yesterday, by Dr. W. G. Gail, of the National Research Council.

The conference was called and presided over by Dr. H. M. Tolly, chairman of the National Research Council.

ALLAN M. FERRIER IS SUMMONED BY DEATH

Allan M. Ferrier, aged sixty-two years, passed away suddenly yesterday, at his home, 1176 Yates Street. He was born in Ontario and for many years farmed in Bon Accord, Alta., before coming to Victoria six years ago.

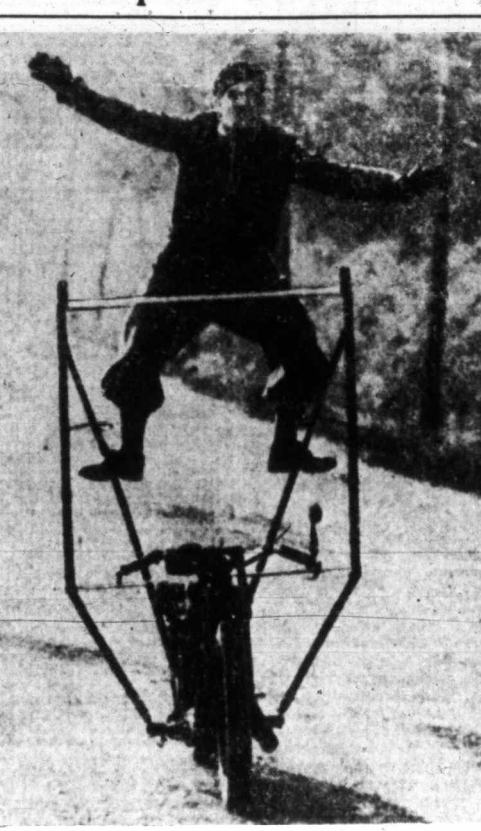
Mr. Ferrier is survived by his widow, at home; one daughter, Mrs. R. J. Coles, Seattle, and one son, George M. Ferrier, in Montana.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 o'clock, Rev. Dr. Clem Davies officiating. Interment will be made in Colwood Burial Park.

LAST RITES CONDUCTED

A large number of sympathizing friends attended the funeral of Frederick McLaren, held yesterday afternoon, Rev. Canon P. A. P. Chadwick conducting the service, during which the hymns sung were "Safe in the Arms of Jesus" and "Nearer, My God, to Thee." The casket and hearse were covered with beautiful floral tributes. The following were pallbearers: Dave Barr, Mac Lohrbrunner, Alex Monteith, Lorne McNutt, F. D. McDougall and Sam Turpell. The remains were laid at rest in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

Champion Stunt Rider



Even the famous "man on the flying trapeze" could take lessons in daring from Daredevil Condit, of Paris, France, the world's champion motorcyclist stuntist. Speeding along a curved road at fifty miles an hour, he climbs on a framework several feet above the handlebars of his motorcycle. He steers it purely by the balancing of his arms and body. A slip means death or serious injury.

DECISION GIVEN REGARDING DEAL

Court Judgment Difficult of Friction Among Parties as to Saanich Farm

In a judgment handed down by Mr. Justice H. B. Robertson in the Supreme Court, disposition is made of the case of Brandon et al. vs. Handy et al., which was the subject of a trial before His Lordship some time ago, with D. S. Tait for the plaintiff and Norman Whittaker for the defendant. The case centred around a property in Saanich, which had been left to the defendant subject to an annuity for life of \$5 a month, which was in favor of R. W. Allen, now over eighty-four years of age.

The action before His Lordship was for the purpose of having a declaration that a conveyance dated July 18, 1932, from the defendant, F. L. Handy, to A. F. Matthews, was fraudulent and void under the Fraudulent Conveyance Act.

GIVES JUDGMENT

The court finds in view of all the circumstances as yet out "that Handy gave and Matthews accepted the deed, with the common intention of hindering or delaying or defrauding Handy's future creditors and I, therefore, find the deed must be set aside as far as Handy and Matthews are concerned. I think a receiver of the monies to be paid by Brittenbach should be appointed. Matthews' position as the mortgagee must also be protected in the order to be drawn."

The affairs are complicated by a number of legal difficulties that entered into the affairs of the parties concerned with relation to the property. N. Brittenbach mentioned in the judgment had in August, 1932, entered into an agreement with Matthews to purchase the property for \$2,000.

OTHER OBLIGATIONS

While the assessment of the property was considerably higher than this, the court points out that there were other obligations assumed, which would make the price considerably higher.

There were family troubles and litigations in which J. S. Brandon, one of the plaintiffs had appeared and who had charges against the defendant. The whole of these troubles entered into the case at its trial.

What Today Means

"SAGITTARIUS"

If December 19 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. and from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. The danger periods are from 6:30 to 8:30 a.m., from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. and from 9:30 to 11:30 p.m.

Business activities on this December 19 may be somewhat interfered with by either personal matters or some kind of social interruption. Money will probably come to you through no special effort on your own part. An unexpected meeting with an old friend is likely to take place and will afford you an opportunity to participate in some very interesting reminiscence. Social engagements should not be broken on this date on flimsy pretext. Only a



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ONE of the most successful of the Gyro radio programmes in aid of the club's Christmas hamper fund was presented last night when \$350 in donations were promised. The programme was sponsored by the Hudson's Bay Company. Archie Willis and William C. Hudson acted as masters of ceremonies; Gyro Harold Butters acted as general supervisor. The largest single donation was \$35 from the Pro Patria Branch of the Canadian Legion.

logical excuse will prevent a feeling of deep resentment on the part of the person who has extended an invitation to you, if you decline it at the last moment. Care should be exercised regarding any definite statement made involving an important business or social problem, as proof backing up the assertion is liable to be requested. There may be influences on this date conducive to making people irritable, so it will be good judgment to be very tactful in all personal contacts made during the next fourteen hours. Married and engaged couples, as well as those trying to win someone's favor, will avoid possibilities of causing quarrel if they do not insist on a "yes" being said when "no" has already been said.

If a woman and December 19 is your birthday, men and women both are apt to find you elusive when trying to pin you down to an answer or an exact line of action. This trait of "playing" people, or keeping them guessing, might possibly have an irritating effect and interfere with your popularity, so curb it. Your personality is probably the sort that fascinates both men and women. If you learn to use your individual magnetism so as to exercise a good influence over those drawn to you, and do not let your knowledge of possessing it cause an idea to develop that it gives special privileges to treat them according to your varying moods. It may prove a great asset. Soliciting, selling, writing, teaching and lecturing or demonstrating should provide congenial work for you. A domestic career will be filled with contentment.

The child born on December 19, generally, when it reaches its teens, is normal in every respect and has more than average intelligence and physical endurance.

If a man and December 19 is your natal day, if you will be open and above board in both business and social affairs, there is probably nothing that can prevent your making a wonderful success. Various branches of the theatrical and amusement business, manufacturing and commercial lines offer money-making possibilities for one of your acumen.

CALIFORNIANS SHOWING INTEREST IN VICTORIA

Owing to the increasing interest being shown by Californians in Victoria as a Summer playground, the news department of the Automobile Club of Southern California has asked for photographs and news items describing this city and Vancouver Island generally, to be published in the club's newspaper, which reaches some 200,000 members.

SPEAKING CLASS HOLDS SEMI-ANNUAL BANQUET

Marked by an excellent toast list of twenty-one speakers, the Y.M.C.A. Tuesday Night Public Speaking Class held its semi-annual banquet, last night at the Y.M.C.A. Richard Muirhead was toastmaster, and members of the programme and catering committee were T. Scott and W. L. King.

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GIVES WARNING TO MOTORISTS

Chief Heatley Says Drivers Must Not Race Through Safety Zones Here

Drivers of automobiles must refrain from driving at a fast rate of speed past safety zones when passengers are entering and getting out of cars. Police Chief Thomas Heatley declared, yesterday. Unless drivers observe this warning, they will be prosecuted, he added.

A number of complaints against this infringement of the traffic law has been received by the chief, and he intends to put an end to such violations.

Chief Heatley also advises drivers to look out for pedestrians who are attempting to signal for street cars. He explains that autos must remain ten feet behind street cars when they are about to stop to pick up passengers. Also, autos must not proceed until street car doors are closed and passengers are safely on the sidewalk, except in the case where safety zones are placed.

ANNUAL DINNER WILL BE HELD AT Y.M.C.A.

The annual Y.M.C.A. Christmas dinner and concert, sponsored by the dormitory men, will be held in the Y.M.C.A. dining-room on Friday at 6:15 p.m., under the chairmanship of E. G. Rowebottom. Guest speakers will be W. T. Straith and Rev. G. A. Reynolds.

The programme will be as follows: Songs by F. Glendinning, Arnold Trevett, F. Paulding, P. S. Spooner and S. Winterbottom; in-

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instrumental selections by E. Groves and E. Manning; whistling solos, Norval Peterson, while the humb is in the hands of Alec Semple and Bert Lilley. Members and friends of the association are cordially welcomed, and tickets may be obtained at the Y.M.C.A. or by telephoning ET194.

THREE OF A KIND

LEWISBURG, Pa., Dec. 18 (CP).—Three brothers, Raymond, Elmer and Harry Enfer, all farmers, met unexpectedly in United States District Court. Each asked about the other's farms, and they learned each had come to file voluntary bankruptcy petitions.

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New Shelled Walnuts, choice white pieces, lb.	28c
Empress Orange Marmalade, 4-lb. tins.	45c
Reception Mince-meat, 2 lbs. for	25c
Sliced Side Bacon, lb.	30c
Fletcher's Hams, lb.	25c
S.P. Cottage Rolls, lb.	18c
First-Grade Alberta Butter, lb.	24c
Local Creamery Butter, lb.	25c
Strictly Fresh Eggs, Grade A, medium size, dozen	25c
Sesqui Matches, doz.	18c
Mixed Nuts, lb.	15c
Brookfield Cheese, 2 pkts.	25c
1 Good Cup and Saucer and Large Pkt. Jif.	20c
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PRO PATRIA BRANCH
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A collection taken during the smoking concert held by the Pro Patria Branch, last night, netted a sum of \$35, which will be turned over to the Gyro hamper fund.

In the Pro Patria Branch auditorium, decorated for the occasion, a large audience enjoyed a varied programme.

Opening with an overture by the orchestra, the concert was a complete success. Those contributing to the programme were: Thomas Obee, Stanley James, Leo Holden, D. White, Robert Lea, J. P. J. Collins and Mr. Lavery, vocal soloists; J. Bragg, tap dancer; Professor Gow, magician; Mr. Goodmurphy, cornetist; Frank White, accordionist; B. Brown, comedian; W. Holmes and W. Anderson and C. A. Gill.

ENGLISH SONG-BIRDS
SHOW APPRECIATION
OF MILD WEATHER

LONDON, Dec. 18 (CP).—So mild is the weather in England as Christmas approaches, that birds are singing as though it were Springtime. From present indications it will be the "greenest" Christmas in many years.

The month is milder than any December since official observations were first taken a century and a half ago. The average maximum temperature since the start of the month has been eight degrees above normal.

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HAMPER TO BE PACKED BY JUNIORS

After the Junior Musical Arts Society programme, to be given on Friday evening at the New Thought Hall, 705 Fort Street, the packing of a Christmas hamper will be participated in by the members, and in order that the hamper may be of generous proportions, each member is asked to bring some small contribution. Guest tickets will be on sale at the door, and guests will be admitted on presentation of a parcel of Christmas dinner supplies of some kind.

The programme promises to be most suited to the Yuletide season, the musical material to be drawn entirely from the classical German composers, about whom Sheila Conway, a member of the Junior branch, will read a paper entitled "Beethoven, Schubert, Schumann and Mendelssohn." The guest artist of the evening will be Evelyn Harper, pianist. The remaining details of the concert are to be as follows:

Piano, Sonata Opus 27, first movement (Beethoven), and Scherzino, Opus 26 (Schumann), Kathleen Brown.
Violin, Adagio Cantabile (Beethoven), and Rondo (Beethoven), Gilbert Margison, accompanied by Helen Ockenden.
Vocal, "On Wings of Song" (Mendelssohn), "Thine Is My Heart" (Schubert), Joan Hayes, accompanied by Mary Hughes.
Vocal duet, "I Waited for the Lord" (from Mendelssohn's "Hymn of Praise"), Helen Ockenden and Elsie Friend, accompanied by Grace White.
Violin, Sonatina in D Major (Schubert), d'Albert le Marquand, accompanied by Sheila Conway.
Vocal, "Hedge Roses" (Schubert) and "Faith in Spring" (Schubert), Helen Ockenden, accompanied by Elsie Friend.
Piano, Waldstein Sonata, Opus 53, first movement, allegro con brio, Evelyn Harper, guest artist.

DORATY SENT TO SYRACUSE

TORONTO, Dec. 18 (CP).—Ken Doraty, the pinch-hitting little Reginan, of Toronto Maple Leafs, has been sent to the Syracuse Stars of the International Hockey League, it was announced tonight.

Doraty will be subject to instant recall to the National Hockey League club, it was stated. He will join the Stars at Syracuse tomorrow.

The move was made in order that Doraty, who more than once has saved the game in the last minute for the Leafs, might get more action than he has seen lately.

Since the Maple Leafs returned to full strength with Joe Primeau again on the front line, Doraty has spent considerable time on the bench.

New Election Record Made By Alderman

A new civic record was established in the last election. Alderman Dr. J. D. Hunter, who headed the poll in the aldermanic contest, set a new mark in that field by securing a majority of 600 votes over his nearest opponent.

This majority, it was learned, has never been equalled in the aldermanic field before. Records show that there have been several instances where aldermanic candidates have headed the poll with a 300-vote margin, but this is the first time that so large a majority has been accorded a candidate.

Announcements

There is an Agony of Mind that only sensitive women who suffer from superfluous hair can understand. They distrust advertisements which offer instantaneous cures, having found the relief merely transitory. They rarely speak of their disfigurement, but just bear it in silence. To such women Miss Hanman would issue an invitation to come and see her—they will meet with every kindness and consideration, and there will be no charge whatever for consultation. 503 Sayward Building, Phone G 7642.

"Music Everywhere" this Christmas, booklet by Lt.-Col. F. W. L. Moore, on sale at Digson's and all book stores, Saturday, Dec. 22, 25c.

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RESCUE OF SIXTEEN EFFECTED IN STORM

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tion on the Europa was as great as if each watching passenger had effected the rescue single-handed.

The race of rescue ships to the side of the Sisto, in response to her calls for help, has been dramatic in the extreme.

Profound anxiety swept through the Europa's dining-room, filled with passengers in full evening dress, when the big ship turned her prow toward the stricken freighter.

UNDER FORCED DRAFT

Her engines throbbing under forced draft, she pushed forward through terrific waves.

Soon, in the far distance, passengers and crew caught a glimpse of another ship hurrying to the scene. Then another, and still another until four vessels had encircled the helpless Sisto.

Besides the Europa, there were the New York, the Aurania and the oil tanker Mobilio.

Great quantities of oil were poured on the sea in an effort to calm the high waves that made rescue efforts difficult. Closer and closer the ships approached until they were within a half mile of the Sisto. They dared approach no closer because of the high seas.

The New York, which reached the scene ahead of the Europa, already was making ready to put her boats overboard.

The other vessels stood by, ready to lend a hand if necessary. "The Europa's big rubber boat had been made ready during the 140-mile run from its regular course, but it was not needed.

WALLOWERS HELPLESSLY

NEW YORK, Dec. 18 (CP).—Overcoming raging seas, the German steamer New York, tonight, rescued the sixteen members of the crew of the Norwegian freighter Sisto as she wallowed helplessly in one of the Atlantic's worst storms 600 miles north of the Azores.

The British oil tanker Mobilio stood by all day after fruitless rescue efforts. She poured thousands of gallons of oil on the raging waves to make the rescue easier. The Cunard-White Star liner Aurania also sped to the Sisto's aid.

All day long the Mobilio kept pouring oil on the mountainous waves to the lee of the Sisto. Within a few hours of nightfall, her supply was giving out and the seas had subsided not a bit.

Messages to wireless station in New York told the story of the distress.

UNABLE TO LOWER BOATS

After the Mobilio had tried in vain to lower her boats, the commander of the Sisto messaged to the tanker:

"Consider it too dangerous to go in small boat now in such high seas. Suggest wait till morning."

The oil supply was dwindling rapidly. The Mobilio messaged for aid from any ships in the neighborhood carrying large supplies of oil.

From the master of the Europa, Oskar Scharf came an answer, directed to the New York offices of the German line:

"Will not arrive New York before Saturday noon. Weather very bad. Hurricane force. Storms from West. Going to assistance of Ss. Sisto 140 miles away."

The Europa was due here Friday.

WAS HOMEWARD BOUND

The Sisto, after calling at Great Lakes ports, was homeward bound to Oslo from Quebec.

She ran into the same storm that has swirled with devastation about the Atlantic for more than a week.

To the same general locality, the British freighter Usworth foundered with the loss of fifteen of its crew. Two sailors from a rescue ship were also drowned.

This same storm battered the Japanese freighter Victoria Maru, bringing death to the captain and chief officer when the bridge was washed away.

He: "Last night I wandered in my mind."
She: "Well, you couldn't stray far."

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City and District

Naval Veterans to Meet—The monthly general meeting of the Naval Veterans, Branch No. 42, Canadian Legion, will be held on Friday evening, at 8 o'clock.

Made Stipendiary—Leonard B. Crow, of Alert Bay, has been appointed a stipendiary magistrate for Vancouver and Nanaimo counties by provincial order.

Joins Kiwanis Club—Eddie Malick was introduced as a new member of the Kiwanis Club at the meeting yesterday. He was introduced by A. E. Scurrah.

Trades Council to Meet—The regular meeting of the Victoria and District Trades and Labor Council will be held tonight at 8 o'clock in the Labor Hall.

Tender Congratulations—The congratulations of members of the Kiwanis Club were conveyed to Kenneth Ferguson at yesterday's meeting in the Empress Hotel upon his election as a school trustee.

Had No Licence—L. Rochoon, of the Malahat district, pleaded guilty in the city police court, Monday, to selling wood without first taking out the required licence. He was fined \$12.50.

Night School—There will be a regular session of the Night School at the Victoria High School, Thursday night, but these classes will be the last until Monday, January 7, when studies will be resumed.

Christmas Frolic—The Christmas frolic and turkey draw of the Canadian Scottish Regiment will be held at the Armories on Friday, December 21, instead of December 20, as previously announced.

For Sunshine Inn—The Sunshine Inn, as a result of a subscription raised by the Kiwanis Club at its meeting, yesterday, will receive over \$22, which is to be devoted to Christmas cheer for the patrons of the inn.

Christmas Smoker—A Christmas smoker will be held at Britannia Branch, Canadian Legion, headquarters tonight at 8 o'clock. A splendid and diversified programme has been arranged, and all members and their friends are invited to attend.

Played Carols—The orchestra of the Kiwanis Club at yesterday's luncheon meeting, in the Empress Hotel, added to the programme of music a series of Christmas carols and other selections appropriate to the Yuletide season.

Esquimalt Ratepayers—The Esquimalt Ratepayers' Association will meet, tonight, at 8 o'clock, in the Municipal Hall, to select candidates in the January municipal election for the council and school board. A new president will also be elected.

Christmas Tree—The annual Christmas tree for the children of members of Britannia Branch, Canadian Legion, will be held this afternoon at the A.O.F. Hall, Cormorant Street, from 2:30 until 6 p.m. A jolly programme has been arranged by a committee from the branch.

Public Parking Regulated—The Provincial Government has moved to improve parking conditions at the Courthouse grounds, Vancouver. A new set of regulations gives police officers leave to shift any car that may block driveways at the Mainland institution.

Store Entered—Cigarettes, cigars and confectionery to the value of \$20 and \$7 in cash were taken by thieves who forced entry into the Pandora Grocery, 1058 Pandora Street, early yesterday morning, it was reported to city police.

Admiralty Sitting—Arrangements are being carried out for the hearing in the Admiralty Court here on Friday at 10:30 o'clock of proceedings in which the Emma K. is concerned. The hearing will be taken before Mr. Justice Archer Martin of the Admiralty Court.

Clerk Congratulated—Frank Hunter, Victoria city clerk, has received the thanks and congratulations of the members of the City Council for the "efficient manner in which the recent civic elections were handled." The vote of thanks was sponsored by Alderman John A. Worthington.

Victoria West Forum—The Victoria West Community Forum has been changed from tomorrow night to Friday evening because of the children's concert at the Victoria West public school. Rev. Robert Connell, leader of the Opposition, will be the speaker. Mr. Connell's subject will be "The Church and the Co-operative Commonwealth."

Warns Citizens—Police Chief Thomas Heatley is again warning citizens against the activities of petty thieves. Motorists are especially asked to exercise caution in locking their automobiles when leaving them and on no account to leave ignition keys in parked autos.

Visited City—E. C. Gilliat, managing-secretary of the Winnipeg Board of Trade, was a visitor to Victoria, yesterday, while en route to Pasadena, where he will holiday during the Winter months. During his brief visit to the city, Mr. Gilliat conferred with George I. Warren, publicity commissioner.

Violated Rules—Low Owens was fined \$5 in the city police court, Monday, for having violated the rules respecting motorcycles when he operated the machine while sitting on the gas tank. Another occupied the driver's seat. Sergeant B. Acreman testified to the circumstances.

Remembered Staff—At the luncheon meeting yesterday at the Empress Hotel of the Kiwanis Club the dining-room staff of the hotel was remembered by the club and at the same time the president, S. J. D. Clark expressed the appreciation of the members for the services contributed during the year.

Endorses Resolution—The City Council has endorsed the resolution passed at a recent public meeting and sponsored by the Victoria Ratepayers' Association, asking for a restoration of Government grants to municipalities. The endorsed resolution will now go forward to Premier Pattullo and the Minister of Labor.

Skeleton Staffs—If any citizen wishes to do business with the Province of British Columbia on Christmas Eve, he can do so unimpeded. The Government decided yesterday to keep Provincial offices open, with skeleton staffs on hand during the afternoon. Boxing Day is being interpreted as a complete holiday, both within and outside of the Provincial service.

Adjourned Hearing—In the city police court, yesterday, George McRae and Jack McRae were charged with having retained milk in the city without taking out a licence, as required. The latter was also charged with having allowed cows to run at large, against the provisions of the by-law. Their case was adjourned until today, in order to allow the obtaining of legal advice.

Extends Felicitations—At yesterday's luncheon meeting of the Kiwanis Club the retiring president, S. J. D. Clark, took occasion to express best wishes to the members for the new year and at the same time conveyed to them thanks for the support which had been given him during the past year. He expressed the confidence that his successor, Rowan MacKenzie, would receive the same support.

Habeas Corpus Application—In Supreme Court chambers here yesterday, Mr. Justice H. B. Robertson heard an application by L. H. Jackson, of Vancouver, seeking the initiation of habeas corpus proceedings on behalf of Eddie Kemp, of Vancouver, who had been sentenced to a \$500 fine, or six months in jail for violating the Liquor Act. The proceedings are to be taken on Friday.

Wins High Honor—Francis V. Giolma, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Giolma, 35 Olympia Avenue, a senior in electrical engineering at Carnegie Institute of Technology, has been initiated into Phi Kappa Phi, scholastic honorary fraternity, according to word received last night from Pittsburgh. A member of Tau Beta Pi, national honorary in engineering, Mr. Giolma is an honor student and scholarship holder at Carnegie Tech.

Visitor Returning—Brig.-Gen. Alex. Ross, C.M.G., Dominion president of the Canadian Legion, who passed through Victoria recently on his way to Melbourne, Australia, to attend a conference of the British Empire Service League, will return, Saturday, via United States points. On Saturday afternoon, he will address a Canadian Legion meeting at Duncan, followed on Sunday by another address at Nanaimo, before leaving for his home at Yorkton, Sask.

Discuss Small Fruits—Mainland and Island small-fruit growers interviewed Hon. K. C. MacDonald and the Provincial Marketing Board, yesterday, with tentative proposals for the creation of a provincial marketing scheme. Dr. MacDonald advised the delegation to apply first

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The advantages to Victoria as a tourist centre in the construction of the West Coast Road were set forth to the Kiwanis Club yesterday in the Empress Hotel by C. L. Harrison. With limited time at his disposal, the speaker had to cut his address short, allowing the pictures on the screen to tell the advantages that would come from the supplying of transportation along the coast.

Nowhere else in British Columbia, said Mr. Harrison, were the opportunities possible of constructing a road within sight of the sea. At no point along the route need the road be higher than 700 feet above sea level and throughout its whole course there were never ending attractions.

The destruction of the forests of Vancouver Island, which had followed the taking out of timber during the past years, was lamented by Mr. Harrison, who showed the road to Cowichan Lake and the sea roads towards Campbell River before the timber had been cut.

In contrast, the speaker showed pictures of the present views to be seen along these roads which made the sight one to be regretted by all.

Mr. Harrison made a strong appeal that the Dominion Government be interested in setting aside a West Coast park reserve by the acquiring by the Province of timber which had not been cut from the lands. It would cost some money, he admitted, to do this, but the returns would far more than make up for the initial cost by the Government. The Dominion would have to have the whole area free from any chance of devastation. He was convinced that the Dominion would do this, as it would afford a sea view which no other park site available would give.

E. H. M. Foot, on behalf of the club, offered the thanks of the gathering to Mr. Harrison.

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Mr. J. C. Kemp, maître d'hôtel, is gathering his cohorts together. Six captains and one hundred waiters will seat the guests and serve the traditional turkey, enhanced by the creative and culinary skill of the chef, Caspar Andersen.

Year by year it grows more evident that Victoria and a good deal of the country-side feels the right and proper way to spend the festive season is among the manorial atmosphere at the Empress, where the procession of the board's head, the Yule log and gray legendary doling with mistletoe recall the good old colorful days of feudal "Merrie England."

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Through our attitude towards life and our conduct in the home we can teach our children to find God in the every-day joys and beauties of daily life. Too frequently do we present God as a forbidding judge and a spoil-sport. One who is more concerned with our sin than our goodness. But God never ceases to love us when we do wrong. This we have to instill into the young minds.

If provided with the example at home, the child will learn that the spiritual really does matter, much more than the common chores, upon which we parents lay so much stress.

Tomorrow's article — "The Emotional Life of the Child."

Dealing with a misleading news item carried by some Canadian papers to the effect that the Rev. Richard Roberts, Moderator of the United Church of Canada, had stated that this church was "facing bankruptcy if we keep on spending money," Rev. Dr. T. Albert Moore states, in The New Outlook, that the United Church does not face bankruptcy, that its invested funds stand at A-1, and that it has successfully maintained its work.

Clubs and Societies

Duncan W.A.

The annual meeting of the United Church Women's Association was held in the church parlors recently. Mrs. T. C. Robson presiding. Mrs. Robert Mann, representing the Unecud Circle, conducted the devotional exercises. Sympathy was expressed to Mrs. Douglas Tait, on the death of her father and illness of her mother. The circle leaders gave detailed reports of their work during the year. For the Martha's, Mrs. P. Flett; Unecud's, Mrs. Mann; Priscilla's, Mrs. J. L. Maitland; Get-Togethers, Mrs. P. E. Dobson. Miss L. Cowie has been re-elected leader of the Unecud Circle. Mrs. James Hightshel, leader of the Get-Togethers. The financial statement read by Mrs. E. W. Lee showed receipts for the year, \$550, with a balance on hand of \$220. The president, Mrs. Robson, in her report, thanked the officers and members for their co-operation during the year, and Rev. W. F. Burns for his advice and assistance. Special reference was made to the work of Mrs. C. B. Mann as convener of the sewing done by the members for the local hospital, Mrs. Mann, in a charming way, spoke of the work of the retiring officers and expressed the thanks of the members. A vote of appreciation to Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Dobson for their leadership of the girls' choir was passed. Mr. Burns took the chair for the election of officers. The executive was re-elected for 1935 as President, Mrs. Robson; vice-presidents, the Circle leaders; treasurer, Mrs. E. W. Lee; secretary, Mrs. C. B. Mann; and flower convener, Mrs. J. Selrup.

C.G.I.T. Meeting

The Intermediate Group of the C.G.I.T. of Wilkeson Road and Garden City United Churches were entertained recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Scott, Jasmine Avenue. The rooms were beautifully decorated with evergreens and streamers. During the afternoon a short business period was conducted by Jean Scott, after which carols were sung and the Christmas story read. The remainder of the afternoon was spent in games and music. Piano solos were given by Dorothy Anderson and Jean Scott, and vocal solos by Nellie Rainer. Supper was served from daintily appointed tables. Before the girls adjourned, Enid Walker presented Mrs. Allan, on behalf of the group, with a pair of book-ends, after which they formed a friendship circle and concluded by the singing of "Taps." The next meeting will be held in the church on Monday afternoon, January 7. Those present were Mrs. Allan, Mrs. Scott, Jean Fryatt, Dorothy Anderson, Catherine Pebernat, Mary Brown, Jean Scott, Irene West, Nellie Rainer, Julie Dewar, Violet Harrison, Thelma Everson, Jean Armstrong, Blanche Carter and Enid Walker.

St. Andrew's W.M.S.

The annual meeting of the W.M.S. of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church was held on Monday afternoon, in the lecture room. Rev. S. B. Hillocks took charge of the devotional part of the meeting. After a short business discussion, reports were read and received from all secretaries, which showed that each secretary had done her part faithfully. Then the election of officers for 1935 took place, which resulted as follows: Honorary president, Mrs. W. L. Clay; president, Mrs. J. A. Kennedy; first vice-president, Mrs. F. Ellis; second vice-president, Mrs. H. P. S. Luntrell; third vice-president, Mrs. M. C. Fuller; secretary, Mrs. C. W. Haw-

Princess Patricia Lodge

The social meeting of Princess Patricia Lodge, No. 238, Daughters of St. George, will be held on Friday evening in the K. of C. Hall, at 7:30 o'clock. It will be followed by a partner waltz at 8:45 o'clock. Members are asked to bring refreshments.

Many Expected at Children's Party

Tickets have been going well for the children's annual fancy dress ball to be held at the Empress Hotel on Thursday, December 27. This dance, organized annually by Mrs. Mortimer Appleby, always attracts a large crowd of children. Prizes will be given for the costumes.

Dance at Ganges Helps to Swell Christmas Fund

SALTSRING ISLAND, Dec. 18.—One of the most successful dances of recent years on Saltspring Island took place, Friday evening, in the Mahon Hall, Ganges, when 300 guests took part in the scene of fun and hilarity so thoroughly enjoyed by everyone present. The dance had been organized by Mr. F. Wilfert and employees of the Johnson-Wilfert Lumber Company, for the purpose of raising funds for local charities, such as Christmas hampers, also treat, parties and pastimes for the Saltspring public school children.

Wedding Is Celebrated Up-Island

LADYSMITH, Dec. 18.—St. John's Church was the scene of a pretty wedding on Saturday afternoon.

When Ida Agnes, only daughter of Dr. D. P. Hanington, and the late Mrs. Hanington, became the bride of Dr. C. B. Lundahl, of Vancouver, only son of Dr. and Mrs. C. B. Lundahl, of Duncan. Rev. Glen Stevenson, of Alberni, assisted by Rev. B. E. Spurling, of Ladysmith, officiated.

The bride entered the church on the arm of her father, to the strains of the "Bridal Chorus," played by Mr. E. Lowe. She wore a lovely picture gown of white silk velvet, made with a Medici collar, the skirt flared full to a short train, and her veil was held in place with clusters of orange blossoms which had been worn by her great-grandmother. Her only ornament was a gold locket and chain, the gift of her godmother. She carried a shower bouquet of pink roses, lily-of-the-valley and maidenhair fern.

PRETTY BRIDESMAID

Miss Kay Wallace, of Vancouver, as bridesmaid, wore a coral silk crepe frock with a brown picture hat, her bouquet composed of pink carnations and maidenhair fern.

The groom was supported by Dr. T. H. Johns, of Victoria, while the ushers were Mr. P. Hanington, of Vancouver, and Dr. J. S. Mercer, of Victoria.

During the signing of the register, Mrs. O. Roberts sang "My Prayer For You."

RECEPTION HELD

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's father, where the happy couple received the guests, assisted by Mrs. C. B. Lundahl, mother of the groom, who wore a gown of green silk crepe with jacket of silver lace. The decorations had been beautifully arranged under the direction of Mrs. H. W. Schofield, of Vancouver, and a three-tier wedding cake centered the bride's table. Mrs. N. M. Poulsen and Mrs. A. T. Verchere presided at the coffers. Later Dr. and Mrs. Lundahl left by car for Victoria en route to the South, where the honeymoon is to be spent. The bride traveled in a blue suit with grey fox collar, and accessories to match.

Among the out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Rye, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Schofield, Miss Doreen Schofield, Master David Schofield, Mr. and Mrs. W. Peters, Mrs. Baker, Mrs. V. Montgomery, and Mrs. Mathews, of Vancouver; Mrs. Glen Stevenson, Miss N. Bourne, Mr. and Mrs. Hague, of Alberni; Mr. and Mrs. Ashley, of Victoria; Dr. and Mrs. C. B. Lundahl, Misses Thelma and Diana Lundahl, Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Bissett, Dr. and Mrs. H. N. Watson, Duncan, and Mrs. Saunders, of Cumanus.

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Artistically-arranged festoons of evergreens reached from the centre of the ceiling to each corner of the hall, and from these crimson and green twisted streamers were in turn festooned. Mr. Wilfert was an

Daily Bridge Question No. 54

South is playing a contract of 3 N.T. West leads the spade K. North plays the 2. East the 4 and South the 3. West follows with the spade Q. North and East follow suit, and South wins with the Ace. Two rounds of diamonds are won by the Ace and Queen in the North hand, everyone following suit.

How will you play the rest of the hand to obtain your contract?

▲ 10 7 2
▼ K 7 5
▲ A Q 7 4
▼ 9 7 2

King of Spades led

▲ A 8 3
▼ A J 6 2
▲ K J 8 5
▼ A Q

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ANSWER TO QUESTION NO. 53

The first trick is won by the spade Ace. The contract cannot be made if the adverse trumps do not break 3-2. The only other danger is finding four clubs to the J. in one hand. This may be guarded against by playing two rounds of clubs. Whether East or West hold four clubs to the J. makes no difference. In the former case E. can be finessed through. In the latter, after five trump tricks, one spade, two clubs and two heart tricks have been won, West is reduced to three cards. If he has kept the J. of clubs guarded his other card is the spade Q. A throw in by a spade lead will force him to lead away from his guarded Knave.

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ARRANGED SUPPER

The Ganges Chapter, I.O.G.E., under the convenship of Mrs. Desmond Crofton, assisted by Mrs. S. P. Beech, Mrs. Frank Crofton, Mrs. A. Scoones, Mrs. A. Inglis and Miss H. W. Bullock, Miss G. Wintrop, supper. The tables were decorated with vases of chrysanthemums. The chapter cleared \$75, which will go towards Christmas hampers. During the past few weeks tickets for contest prizes have been sold by employees of the firm and other

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Social Activities and Notes of Personal Interest



Plays Must Be in Hand December 29

All entries for the B.C. Drama Festival, to be held at the Shrine Auditorium, on January 30 and 31 and February 1, must be in the hands of the secretary, Stewart Clark, 640 Port Street, by December 29, the committee for the eliminations decided at the meeting held last night at the home of the president, Captain Thorpe-Double. Entries must be complete with cast, copy of play and full particulars. G. F. Scott, of the Vancouver Little Theatre, will be the adjudicator.

Other details, announced as the result of Monday night's meeting, are that the Victoria High School orchestra will play during the intervals while the festival is on; and that H. F. Hewitt will act as stage manager, assisted by Roy Goldfinch.

Entries have been received from the following: The Dwarf Theatre, one; the Forbes Robertson Players, three; the Marionette Players, one; the Curtain Club, two; the Little Theatre, one; and the Beaux Arts, one. Owing to the fact that the three one-act plays entered by the Punch and Judy Theatre are being presented as a separate entertainment, they will not appear in the Victoria and Vancouver Island elimination contest.

PARTY AT BRENTWOOD

Mr. James Scaplen and Mr. Theodore Waters, of Victoria, entertained a number of friends on December 14 at Little Willows Cafe, Brentwood. Christmas decorations and balloons were effective, and dancing and games were enjoyed by the guests. Those present included: Miss Anne Gardner, Colman, Grace Howroyd, Iris Waters, Edna Raper, Joan Watson, Louise Simons, Irene Stewart, Kay Crowhurst, Eileen Ross, R. Ross, Florence Woodward, Betty Nightingale, Doris Townsend, and Messrs. James Scaplen, T. Waters, R. Waters, L. Morant, V. Noon, J. Howroyd, J. Cox, C. Stewart, A. Nightingale, W. Stromkins, P. Martin, G. Townsend, E. Townsend, W. Donald, J. Watson, C. Reid, K. Dempsey and E. Johnson.

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Social and Personal Notes

Presentations Made

A delightful afternoon was spent yesterday afternoon at the home of Rev. Canon A. E. de L. Nunn and Mrs. Nunn, 1669 Egin Street, when they entertained St. Mary's Guild. During a short address, Canon Nunn said that the occasion was to honor Mrs. Thornton Marshall, the retiring president, who for the past fourteen years has served most graciously as president of the guild. On behalf of the guild, Canon Nunn presented her with a bridge chair as a token of appreciation for her untiring efforts and willing assistance given during her years in office. In accepting the gift, Mrs. Marshall gave an address on her work with the guild and of the assistance received from the members. It was much regretted that Mrs. H. H. Cullen, the secretary, was unable to attend. For her faithful work as secretary, a gift will be sent to her.

Port Renfrew Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. R. Rutgers, of Port Renfrew, are spending a few days in the city, before going on to Portland, where they will celebrate Christmas. They plan to return to the Island by way of Vancouver. During their stay here, they will reside at the Douglas Hotel. Other residents of Port Renfrew, who are visiting at the Douglas Hotel, are:

Miss M. Conger, Mr. T. B. K. Solheim, Mr. M. M. Robertson and Mr. T. Halversen.

Home for Holidays

The Misses Joan Austen-Leigh, Joan, Jill and Judy Humphreys, Rona and Dawn Murray, Eileen Swayne, Betty Peel, Louise Preston, Peggy Allen and Ivy Brown arrived yesterday, from Queen Margaret's School, Duncan, to spend the Christmas holidays with their respective parents.

Beach Hotel Dinner

A large number of reservations have been made for the Christmas night dinner dance at the Beach Hotel. After dinner, there will be dancing, ping-pong and bridge and special Christmas decorations will add to the gaiety of the scene.

Will Arrive Today

Mrs. James W. McConnell, of Vancouver, accompanied by her baby son, James, will arrive in the city today to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Sehl. Mr. McConnell will come over a short time before Christmas to spend a few days.

Christmas in Vancouver

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph T. Ross, of Cook Street, will be among the Victorians who will go over to Vancouver to spend the Yuletide holiday. They will be the guests of Mrs. Ross' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gideon Hicks.

From Chicago

Mr. and Mrs. Lee W. Strauss, of Chicago, are spending a short holiday in the city, and are staying at the Empress Hotel. They plan to leave Victoria in a few days for Seattle.

Attended Horse Show

Master Roderick Mackenzie, of Maple Bay, arrived here yesterday to attend the Horse Show held last night. He is staying with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mackenzie, James Bay Hotel.

Christmas Here

Miss Bernice Penner, of Los Angeles, will arrive in the city towards the end of the week to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Penner, of Wellington Avenue.

Will Go to Vancouver

Mr. and Mrs. John Sturdy, of Woodstock Road, will go over to Vancouver to spend Christmas with Mrs. Sturdy's mother, Mrs. H. Fullerton.

Back From South

Mr. Owen Goward, of Arbutus Road, who has been motoring in Southern California for the past two weeks, will return home this afternoon.

Enjoying Visit

Mrs. Edythe McCall and Mrs. S. M. Hood, of Winnipeg, are enjoying a few days in the city. They are visiting at the Windermere Hotel.

Here for Winter

Major and Mrs. J. B. Hutton, of Cobble Hill, have arrived in the city and will spend the winter here at the James Bay Hotel.

Here From Vancouver

Messrs. J. Emerson, J. M. Richardson and D. A. Davies, of Vancouver, are staying at the Glenish Hotel.

Here for Few Weeks

Miss E. Thomson, of Cobble Hill, will spend the next few weeks visiting here and will stay at the James Bay Hotel.

At Dominion Hotel

Mr. M. J. Garrett, of Carbon, Alta., is at the Dominion Hotel.

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Move to New Home

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Wainwright, of Windsor Road, have moved to their new home, 2015 Runnymede Avenue.

Vancouver Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wendt, of Vancouver, are spending a few days at the Dominion Hotel.

From Campbell River

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Higgins, of Campbell River, are staying at the Dominion Hotel.

Weddings

HIGGINS-BAMBRICK

A wedding of interest to residents of Campbell River was solemnized in Cumberland on Tuesday, December 11, when Miss Kathleen M. Bambrick, of Galiano Island, was united in marriage to Mr. Lorne C. Higgins, of Campbell River. Rev. H. Allen officiated. The bride wore an ensemble of green and brown honeycomb silk crepe with large brim hat in contrasting color. Her bouquet was composed of pink and white carnations, lilies of the valley and fern. The matron of honor, Mrs. D. Galliano, was becomingly gowned in silk crepe trimmed with sable and hat to match. Her corsage bouquet was of red carnations. Mr. Lloyd Higgins supported the groom. The bride and groom left by motor for Nanaimo en route to Vancouver and Sound cities. On their return Mr. and Mrs. Higgins will reside at Quinsam, B.C.

WOMEN'S INSTITUTES

SOUTH SAANICH

The South Saanich Women's Institute will hold its annual meeting and election of officers tomorrow afternoon, at the Temperance Hall, East Saanich Road.

ROYAL OAK

The monthly meeting of the Royal Oak Women's Institute was held recently, with nineteen members present, and Miss K. Oldfield, president, in the chair. After a few minutes of silence, a paper on "Our Aims and Objects" was read by Mrs. Prosser. Following the reading of the minutes of the last meeting by the secretary, Mrs. Mead-Robins, a satisfactory report was submitted by the treasurer, Miss Eva Phillips. A number of letters of thanks were read by the secretary. A donation of \$2 was voted towards the Solarium swimming pool, and Mrs. F. Reeves, convener of the Solarium X-ray fund, gave an encouraging report that letters were receiving generous support and that boxes have been placed for public subscriptions. A report on public health was given by Mrs. Prosser. An invitation was received for members to attend the Solarium children's Christmas tree on December 29. A member of the institute was asked to be nominated as school trustee, and nominations were accepted for directors for the annual meeting, to be held on January 10, at Royal Oak hall. Hostesses for the tea and social hour were Mrs. B. Hoole, Mrs. H. H. Reed and Mrs. Prosser.

Jean: "Is his charm inherited?" Joan: "Yes; he got his money from his dad."

Recitations Are Given by School

SALTSPRING ISLAND, Dec. 18.

An interesting afternoon was spent at Harbor House recently, when Mrs. H. Moorhouse entertained several guests to tea at the break-up of her private school at Ganges. Although no regular performance was given, the children carried out a programme of school recitations and gave an exhibition of physical exercises and drill, lead by Helen Moorhouse. Dulcie Crofton's water color paintings merited the well deserved praise they received.

The programme was as follows: Piano solo, Helen Moorhouse; Dominion Hymn, the school; mottoes, Sylvia Crofton, Lucy Burkill, Rosemary Loomore, June Mitchell, Catherine Popham and John Crofton; recitations, "Daffydownilly," "Books," "Jonathan Jo," "If You Meet a Fairy," Sylvia Crofton; "Gustavus Gore," Godfrey Gordon; "My Dog," John Crofton; "Sing a Song of Books," "Flight," "The Little Elfman," Lucy Burkill; "Singing Weather," Rosemary Loomore; "The Cover of a Book," "The Fairies Have Never a Penny to Spend," June Mitchell; "The Adventurer's Song," Dulcie Crofton; "Solitude," "The Triangle Wayles Hat," Helen Moorhouse; "The Union Jack," Catherine Popham.

Tea was served to the guests in the dining-room, while the pupils and their friends at a gaily decorated table apart, were entertained to Christmas fare and fun.

Among those present were Mrs. G. Aitkens, Mrs. T. Burkill, Mrs. Fred Crofton, Mrs. Dermot Crofton,

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Shirts	2.00 to 7.50
Shirt and Tie Sets	from 2.50
Pure Silk Shirts	5.00 and 5.50
Caps	from 1.50
Tie and 'Kerchief Sets	2.00 to 3.50
Tie and Socks Sets	3.00
Spats	2.50
Pyjamas	2.50 to 15.00
Slippers	2.25 to 7.50
Umbrellas	2.00 to 10.00
Sweaters	3.00 to 15.00



Golf Hose to harmonize with the sweater you choose	\$ 1.50 to \$ 6.00
Dress Vest	from 5.00
Hats	4.00 to 10.00
Motor Rugs	6.50 to 35.00
Smoking Jackets	7.50 to 22.50
Gabardine Golf Jackets	8.50 to 15.00
Light-Weight and Silk Dressing Gowns	from 7.50
Wool Gowns	from 10.00
Suede and Leather Jackets—some sleeveless	7.75 to 20.00
Luggage	from 4.00
Traveling Toilet Cases (fitted and unfitted), Cigarette Cases, etc.	
Blue Serge Suits, fully guaranteed	from 25.00
Tuxedo Suits, 2-piece, exceptional values	30.00

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At the Theatres

WARNER BAXTER NOW AT CAPITOL

"Hell in the Heavens" Is Gripping Story of Airplanes and Aviators

Described as a thrilling and spectacular story of desperate war in the air, the newest Fox film, starring Warner Baxter, opens today at the Capitol Theatre.

"Hell in the Heavens" is the title of the new film, and it is said to offer one of the most absorbing and romantic war dramas yet produced in Hollywood. It tells a story of daring men—not afraid of death but afraid of fear; of desperate life, yet each day braving destruction in the skies.

Preview audiences in Hollywood have voted "Hell in the Heavens" the most powerful picture Warner Baxter has made in seasons.

John Blystone, famous for many a screen success, directed "Hell in the Heavens." It is his sixty-third picture for Fox. He is a director who never fails to deliver a punch production.

Conchita Montenegro, who appeared with Warner Baxter in the memorable Fox film, "The Cisco Kid," is once more his leading woman in "Hell in the Heavens."

PLAYHOUSE One of America's veteran showmen, Sam Rice, who introduced burlesque on Broadway in 1915, is cast in Paramount's "You Belong to Me," featuring Lee Tracy, Helen Mack and Helen Morgan, and now showing at the Playhouse Theatre. For many years Rice produced musicals with James Butler, of St. Louis. At one time Rice vied with J. P. McEvoy, now a writer, and Billy Jerome for honors as "parody king" of the day.

DOMINION Mirth, melody and musical pulchritude are delightfully blended in "Student Tour," sparkling musical laughaganzas, now showing at Dominion Theatre. Produced by Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, which has given the screen some of its greatest musical hits, "Student Tour" strikes a new note in musical entertainment. Jimmy Durante, Charles Butterworth, Maxine Doyle, Phil Regan and Monte Blue head the cast.

COLUMBIA William Powell, star of the First National picture, "Fashions of 1934," now showing at the Columbia Theatre, had no idea so many men were in need of a hat until the story got out that he made a hobby of saving old chapeaus and had a house full of all sorts, shapes and colors. Then began the cavalcade of hatless hembres.

COMIC, DRAMATIC PLAYS TO BE PRESENTED HERE

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Making their second trans-continental tour, this talented group of players are repeating this season the successes they have achieved in the past years, with an augmentation of other gorgeous plays to their repertoire.

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AMUSEMENTS

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REVUE PRAISED BY VANCOUVER CRITIC

"Rambles in Rhythm," the current revue at the Beacon Theatre, is the best vaudeville show which has played in Vancouver in many months," says the theatrical critic of The Vancouver Province, in speaking of the revue which will open its Victoria engagement of two days at the Empire Theatre on Friday afternoon.

"Featuring Glen Dale, former Broadway musical comedy star, the review continues, 'this unit might quite well challenge the local popularity achieved by Gus Arnheim and his orchestra. The show has plenty of pace, the singing is good, the dancing is good, and the stage band is more than adequate.'"

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A NEW BOOK

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City Temple Festival Ison Tomorrow

The City Temple Ladies' Auxiliary has arranged a novel programme for the City Temple Christmas Festival to be held on Thursday in the social hall of the church. Among the assisting artists will be pupils of the Santa Slavina Russian School of the Dance. There will also be gaves and refreshments will be served.

Y.P.S. News

The Chinese United Y.P.S. held another enjoyable meeting. In the worship service, John Bong gave a talk on "The Origin and Writers of Famous Hymns," followed by a solo, "I Hear Thy Welcome Voice."

Others taking part were Misses Frances Hoden and Dorothy Lee. Business discussions followed and it has been favorably approved that two members will represent the group at the meetings of the Y.P.S. Union. Badminton will be included in the recreation of the members. An interesting programme has been arranged for the morning service, on Christmas Sunday, which will be in the hands of the Young People.

The intellectual period took the form of practising the Christmas play, which will be part of the Christmas concert, at the Mission, on Friday at 8 p.m. Everyone will be welcomed on this occasion.

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Any group which is not yet registered should forward their registration to Miss Anne Fountain, 410 Dominion Bank Building, Vancouver. Every group should be registered before Christmas.

2 BIG HITS THAT PACK A WORLD OF ROMANCE & THRILLS

THRILLS OF A LIFETIME... Romance that tangles... drama that holds you spellbound... with

Warner BAXTER "HELL IN THE HEAVENS"

With CONCHITA MONTENEGRO, RALPH MORGAN, HERBERT MUNDIN

At 1:15, 4:05, 6:35, 9:11
In her scorching arms he found the only refuge from fear!

Plus

ACTUALLY FILMED IN OLD ERIN, WITH ALL ITS NATURAL BEAUTY... A Dramatic Musical Romance

Lily of Killarney

At 12:00, 2:45, 5:30, 8:50

With JOHN GARRICK, GINA MALO

IRISH JIGS... IRISH MUSIC... AND IRISH BLARNEY
TEN LULLING IRISH SONGS THAT BRING JOY TO YOUR HEART

MORE CHRISTMAS CHEER FOR EVERYONE

MIDNIGHT PREVIEW

CHRISTMAS NIGHT—TUESDAY, DECEMBER 25
AT 11:15, AFTER THE REGULAR SHOW

EDDIE CANTOR in "KID MILLIONS"

Coming Saturday

Charlie Chan in London

With WARNER OLAND

Gladys Glad On Beauty

A famous woman traveler, who recently returned from the beautiful islands of Japan, tells me that she once had to wait three hours in order to get a shampoo in one of the shops over there. When a Japanese girl goes to a beauty shop to have her hair arranged, it seems, the job takes hours to complete. But when once the hair is arranged, it is kept in that form for days. Indeed, Japanese women even sleep on wooden pillows, in order that their coiffures do not become the least bit disarranged.

Personally, I can't imagine any Canadian girl sleeping on a wooden pillow just for the sake of her coiffure. And I can't imagine her permitting her tresses to go without combing and brushing for days at a time. But there are occasions when girls wish their hair would retain the freshly-groomed appearance that it possesses when they first leave their beauty shops.

The busy young girl who spends much of her afternoons out of doors is the one who usually has the most difficulty in keeping her tresses perfectly arranged. And that's rather hard, if she has an important engagement in the evening. An evening coiffure demands that waves and ringlets be perfect. But one can't go motorizing, or view an exciting football game, or go on a strenuous shopping tour these days without having your coiffure become a bit ruffled and disarranged.

I attended quite a few football games this season and I've found that the perfect remedy for this hair worry is one of those old-fashioned hair nets that constituted so important a part of the coiffures of granny's day. Hair nets now come in all different shades, and when properly worn, really are perfectly invisible. And they are most helpful in keeping the coiffure tidy. If you have a big date at night, and intend going out in the afternoon too, try using a hair net in order to keep your hair perfectly coiffed. First insert a few hairpins in your waves and ringlets, to help hold them in place. Then place the net over your head and pin it securely, but not too tightly. You'll find that this will keep your waves and ringlets in perfect shape for evening display, despite the strenuousness of your afternoon engagement, or the breeziness of the day.

DOMINION

SHOWING TODAY AND THURSDAY ONLY

"STUDENT TOUR"

A FUN AND MELODY CRUISE OF THE WORLD

With JIMMY DURANTE • CHARLES BUTTERWORTH AND A HOST OF SINGING AND DANCING ENTERTAINERS

ADDED FEATURE AT 12:45, 3:15, 5:37, 8:33

'MENACE'

With GERTRUDE MICHAEL, PAUL CAVANAGH

STARTING TIMES
At 1:15, 4:15, 7:00, 9:30

10c 12 to 3 P.M.
15c 3 to 5 P.M.
25c 5 to 8 P.M.

NEW PLAYHOUSE

LAST TIMES TODAY

"You Belong to Me"

Starring LEE TRACY

ADDED

'She Was a Lady'

Featuring HELEN TWELVETREES

PRICES (Except on Saturdays)
12-3 10c 3-5 15c 5-11 20c

FASHIONS '1934

With BETTE DAVIS, FRANK McHUGH, RUTH HERBERT

ADDED

'ELMER and ELSIE'

With GEORGE BANICROFT, FRANCIS FULLER

Also OSWALD CARTOON

Male 10c Columbia Even. 15c
Last Times Today 5-11 15c

Don't Miss This!

We are positive that this is the best stage show to come to Victoria this year! After seeing this show, if you do not agree with our money will be refunded.

TWO DAYS, FRIDAY and SAT.

ON THE STAGE

RAMBLES IN RHYTHM

Featuring GLEN DALE

Famous Broadway Musical Comedy Star, Nationally Known Tenor

With 25 INTERNATIONAL STAGE STARS

AND RHYTHM RAMBLES' ORCHESTRA

THIS IS the Stage Show That Broke All Records at Paramount Theatre in Seattle

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NEXT FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

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ONE DAY ONLY—DECEMBER 25

Two Performances

The Kermid Club Presents Gilbert and Sullivan's

"Pirates of Penzance"

With a Cast of 60!

Tickets on Sale at Fletcher Bros. Mail Orders New Box Office Opens December 22

PRICES
Matinee - - - 25c and 25c
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Presenting Four Great Plays at CITY TEMPLE AUDITORIUM

COMMENCING

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 26

MATINEE AND EVENING

"BONNIE PRINCE CHARLIE" (The Last of the Stuarts)

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 27

"THE COTTER'S SATURDAY NIGHT" (Robert Burns)

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 28

"THE BONNIE BRIER BUSH" (Ian MacLaren)

SATURDAY MATINEE, DECEMBER 29

"A HIGHLAND ROMANCE"

SATURDAY NIGHT, DECEMBER 29

"BONNIE PRINCE CHARLIE"

PRICES
Evenings 35c, 55c, 80c, \$1.05
Matinee - - - 35c, 55c, 80c
Students and Children All Performances - - - 25c
Reserve Your Seats Now at the Willis Piano Co., 725 Fort St. Phone G 2512

High School Students To Give Entertainment

Victoria High School students will present a varied performance, on Thursday, at 4 p.m., in the school auditorium. The programme will feature a "Christmas Nonsense Play," which is supported by a talented cast; a choral recital in which over seventy girls' voices will be blended in the singing of yuletide songs, and the school orchestra will play a number of stirring pieces.

The play is being directed by Miss Ella Cameron, of the high school staff. The choir will be led by Frank Tupman, and the orchestra will be conducted by Alfred Prescott.

Girl Guide Notes

VICTORIA WEST RANGERS
The First Victoria West Ranger Company will celebrate the Yuletide festivities tomorrow at 8 p.m., at the headquarters, 1012 Langley Street. A cordial invitation is extended to all former members of the company.

TILLICUM GUIDES
Tillicum Girl Guide Company celebrated its ninth anniversary with an enjoyable party recently at St. Martin's Hall, when they entertained the Burnsides Company. They were honored by a visit from Mrs. Midgley, newly appointed commissioner to the district. Miss Meta Hodge attended as representative of the Business and Professional Women's Club and presented the company with a Christmas gift from the club, which has always shown an active interest in this company. Miss Parker, the captain, voiced the thanks of the Guides. A musical programme was given by May Heberton, Phyllis Fox and Grace Easton. Kathleen Marling gave two graceful dances. The remainder of the evening was spent in games. Refreshments were served.

GARDEN CITY DRIVE
The committee in charge of the big Christmas turkey drive, to be held at Marigold Hall, on Friday evening, met on Monday night to complete arrangements for the affair. Everything is now in readiness for handling the crowd, which promises to be the largest in years. Turkeys for prizes and a contest, in addition to an energetic and capable committee of women looking after the refreshments, insures everyone a pleasant evening.

ST. AIDAN'S
The young people of St. Aidan's held their regular meeting in the hall recently. Miss Barbara Dawson sang two delightful numbers. Mrs. Armitage gave a talk on missions. Mr. Victor Wilbertson gave a cartoon demonstration on the blackboard. The social will be held on Friday.

QUALICUM BEACH
The topic discussed at the Qualicum Beach Young People's meeting was "Jesus' Evaluation of Money." The leadership being taken by Craig Reid. It was found impossible to entertain Parksville Y.P.S. as planned tonight, and after careful consideration, the meeting decided to ask Parksville if they would consider coming on January 2. The next meeting of the society will be held on January 2.

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Mrs. R. Meredith-Jones, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Steele, in Vancouver, has returned to her home in Albert Head.

Mrs. F. Higgs, Darby Farm, has crossed to the Mainland and is visiting friends in Vancouver.

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Mrs. James Goldsmith recently visited her son in Vancouver.

Mrs. Randall Jarrett and Mrs. John D. Long are visiting in Seattle.

Mrs. Hart was a recent visitor to

EMPIRE

January 3 One Day
TWO PERFORMANCES

Third American Tour

Mrs. C. S. Beale and Mrs. W. B. Mcicking

Present

VIENNA CHOIR BOYS

(Weiner Schonerknaben)

The Singing Boys of Vienna, Austria

"The candor and spirit was irresistible... audience wildly enthusiastic..."—N.Y

STUDEBAKERS ARE ON VIEW

Jameson Motors, Ltd., Have
New 1935 Models on Dis-
play at Showrooms

The new 1935 Studebaker automobiles are here.

Heralded by nation-wide advertising as the "champions of 1935," and promising the "miracle-ride" of motor history, the new Studebakers go on display today in the showrooms of Jameson Motors, Ltd., 740 Broughton Street, local Studebaker distributors.

There can be no doubting of the fact that these new Studebakers are new. Difficult as it is today to produce a car that stands out from the rank and file, Studebaker's engineers and designers seem to have created cars of unusual distinction. They are new in styling, in beauty, in comfort, in performance. Motorists have been enthusiastic in their applause of these brand new offerings of the famous manufacturer.

An engineer, yardsticking the cars in the cold technical manner of his profession, will tell you that the new independent planar wheel suspension of the 1935 Studebakers is their outstanding feature. A woman will tell you their styling and interior refinement deserves first mention. A safety engineer will applaud their new hydraulic brakes. The man who uses his car in business will place the "miracle-ride" at the head of the cars' virtues. So it would seem that Studebaker has done much to please all.

NEW WHEEL SUSPENSION

Studebaker's new independent planar wheel suspension and the "miracle-ride" are a striking example of cause and effect. As such these two features must be linked in discussion. The former results in the latter.

The front wheel suspension is new and exclusive to Studebaker. It is unlike that used on any other Canadian automobile. Its result is said to be better, and Studebaker newspaper advertisements say "make us prove it."

In styling their new models, Studebaker body designers obviously accomplished the seldom attained goal of "distinct personality." No other Canadian cars look like the 1935 Studebakers, yet the lines cannot be called radical. They are truly new, yet, beautifully in keeping with the lines favored by the majority of Canadian motorists.

Determined to add even greater safety to their cars Studebaker engineers—already famous for giving their cars low centres of gravity, steel bodies and many other safety features—now add compound hydraulic brakes.

MECHANICAL DETAILS

There are many new mechanical features on the new models.

A new automatic thermostatic control will do much to reduce cold engine difficulties in winter weather. An automatic carburetor choke is also standard equipment of all models. Thus the motorist need have no worries on icy days if he keeps the proper amount of antifreeze in his radiator.

The power plants of the new cars have been given new brilliance in keeping with the famous Studebaker slogan of "from the speed, way comes their stamina."

BRIDGE RIVER IS DEVELOPING FAST

George M. Murray, M.P.P., Tells
of Mining Operations—Enthusi-
ast for District

Developments in the Bridge River mining district are most promising, and forecast greater activity in the Spring, declared George M. Murray, M.P.P. for Lillooet, who was in the city yesterday to interview the Government on behalf of his constituency.

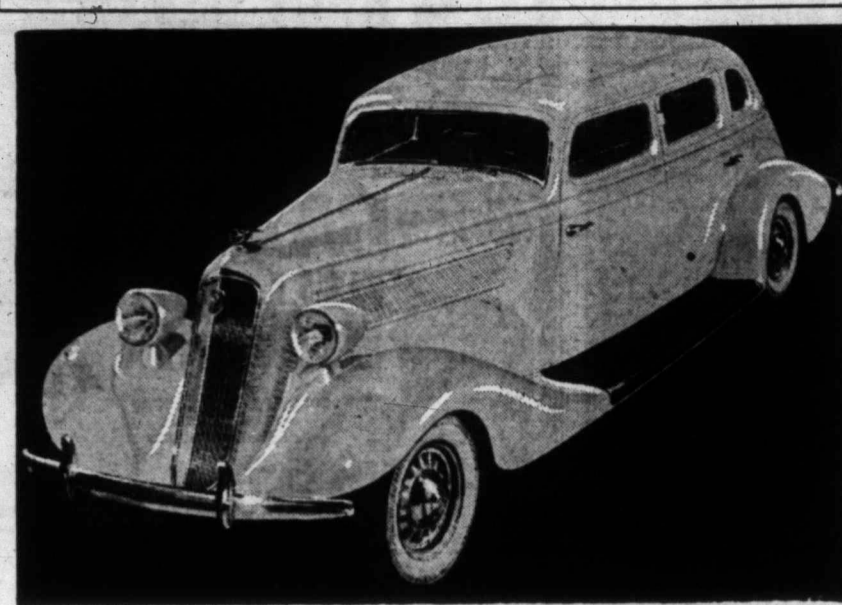
The recent completion and commencement of milling operations of the concentrating plant at Minto, and the production of a gold brick from Wayside are most encouraging to miners in the Bridge River area, Mr. Murray stated. Regular shipments of concentrates are being made to Tacoma smelter, he said, and it was gratifying to learn that the returns were larger than was at first anticipated.

Mr. Murray is an enthusiastic advocate of the value of properly-directed tourist travel, and claims to have one of the most scenic districts in Canada. He was loud in his praise of the grand beauty to be found on the "Regal Highway" from Yale to Ashcroft, and of the amazing beauty of the colored cliffs near Hat Creek and the wonders of the Marble Canyon route to Lillooet.

TAKES PRINCIPALSHIP

NANAIMO, Dec. 18.—W. J. Mowat, of the local high school teaching staff, has accepted the principalship of the Shawanigan Station School, where he will commence his duties on the first of the year.

Jameson Motors Show New Car Today



The 1935 Studebaker Champion With Independent Planar Wheel Suspension, Compound Hydraulic Brakes and Brilliant New Body Design.

Radio Programmes

Summary of Schedule of Victoria and
Other Pacific Coast Stations

TODAY

12 noon — Kate Smith's unusual Matinee Hour over C.B.S. today will include a broadcast of a Swiss village festival from Berne, Switzerland. Yodelers, choirs and mandolin bands will be featured. KOL, KVI, 1:15 p.m. — A musical survey of the seldom-heard works of Anton Dvorak, distinguished Bohemian composer, will be presented by the artist-students of the Curtis Institute on their broadcast today. "Terezio in C Major, opus 74," "Gypsy Songs," "Slavonic Dance No. 3," and a movement from a trio composition, will be heard. KOL, KVI.

6 p.m. — "Through the Years," by Vin Youmans, contemporary American composer, will be featured by Nino Martini during the young tenor's programme with Andre Kostelanetz' Orchestra and soloists. KOL, KVI, KSL.

8 p.m. — Christmas music from Sing Sing, played inside the walls by the prison band, will be broadcast for N.B.C. listeners on the Warden Lewis E. Lawes' "20,000 Years in Sing Sing" broadcast. The weekly drama will also be presented under the title, "The Christmas That Changed." KOMO.

7:30 p.m. — Fun surrounding the Barbour household on Christmas Eve will be told in tonight's installment of "One Man's Family." KOMO.

7:30 p.m. — John Bell and Lionel Edwards will be presented as guest artists on tonight's "Pianoforte Sketches," a weekly programme starring Eric Edwards, local composer-pianist. Special attention will be given to Christmas selections, and parts of "The Messiah," by Handel, will be played. CFCT.

8 p.m. — The Colonist news flashes, CFCT.

8:15 p.m. — The B.C. Electric Railway are sponsoring tonight's Gyro Club Christmas Hamper Fund radio appeal. CFCT.

CFCT, Victoria (1,450 Kers.)
8:00 a.m. — Timely Topics, Dr. Clem Davies.
8:15 a.m. — Tempus Fugit.
8:30 a.m. — Let's Go Places With Eric Marshall.
8:45 a.m. — Time Flies.
9:00 a.m. — Morning Moods.
10:00 a.m. — Feature Programme.
10:15 a.m. — Art Fairs at the Piano.
10:45 a.m. — Feature Programme.
11:00 a.m. — Music in the Air.
11:30 a.m. — The Concert Album.
12:00 noon — Melodic Moderns.
12:15 p.m. — World Bookman: "What is the origin of the expression 'See List'?"
12:30 p.m. — Ten Tunes in Minutes.
1:30 p.m. — Birthdays Party.
2:00 p.m. — Dancin' Dots.
3:00 p.m. — All-Star Parade.
3:30 p.m. — Eric Edwards, Piano Sketches.
4:00 p.m. — Feature Programme.
4:30 p.m. — Colonel Radio Reporter.
5:15 p.m. — Gyro Christmas Cheer Programme, sponsored by the B.C. Electric Railway Co.
10:15 p.m. — Concluding Portion of Handel's "Messiah," from Christ Church Cathedral.

CJOB, Vancouver, B.C. (900 Kers.)
3:15 p.m. — Three Monkeys.
3:30 p.m. — Kinsway Cleaners' Programme.
3:45 p.m. — Melody Moments.
4:00 p.m. — Kelly Programme.
4:15 p.m. — Santa Claus Programme.
4:30 p.m. — Feature Programme.
7:00 p.m. — Immediate Issues.
7:15 p.m. — Cardo Smaller, Margaret May McLean.
7:45 p.m. — Ab Hines' Hawaiian Ensemble.
8:00 p.m. — Monitor Views the News.
8:15 p.m. — Studio Programme.
8:30 p.m. — Amateur Hockey Broadcast.

CKWX, Vancouver, B.C. (1,910 Kers.)
7:30 p.m. — Trades and Labor Council.
7:45 p.m. — Bert Keck, pianist.
8:00 p.m. — Earle Hill and Orchestra.
8:15 p.m. — Sunshine Brigade.
8:30 p.m. — Don Brown's Orchestra.
8:45 p.m. — Sandy De Santis' Orchestra.
9:00 p.m. — Santa Claus Fund.
10:30 p.m. — Santa Claus, organ.
10:45 p.m. — DX Programme.

CRV, Vancouver, B.C. (1,100 Kers.)
3:30 p.m. — Variety Programme, records.
6:00 p.m. — See G.R. Wasmuth.
8:00 p.m. — Dr. Lyle Telford.
8:30 p.m. — See C.R.C. Network.
10:30 p.m. — Santa Claus Fund Programme.

CKMO, Vancouver, B.C. (1,410 Kers.)
4:30 p.m. — Afternoon Tea Dances.
6:00 p.m. — British Empire Programme.
7:30 p.m. — Stan Fields, vocal.
8:00 p.m. — Run Cannon, cowboy.
8:15 p.m. — Speed Swimmer, bathing.
8:30 p.m. — Embassy Dance Orchestra.
9:30 p.m. — Famous Scenes, drama.

C.R.C. NETWORK
6:00 p.m. — Gaiety and Romance, Billie Bell, Whitcomb Campbell, Guardsmen, orchestra, direction Geoffrey Weddington, Toronto.

7:00 p.m. — Masters of Music, direction Rubin Krasner; drama, direction Robert Caplan, Montreal, Moritz Moskowitz.
7:30 p.m. — Charlie Dornberger's Orchestra, Montreal.
7:45 p.m. — News and Weather Forecast.
8:30 p.m. — News (B.C. Network).
8:45 p.m. — Barbara Cushman, pianist, Vancouver (Western Network).
9:15 p.m. — Marjorie Whitehead, contralto (B.C. Network).
9:30 p.m. — Melody Maids, direction Ina McCartney, trio, Vancouver (Western Network).
10:00 p.m. — Kamloops Radio Theatre Club (B.C. Network).

N.B.C.-KPO NETWORK
(KHK-KOW-KPT-KPO-KOMO-KJR)
9:00 a.m. — Fields and Hall, songs, patter.
9:30 a.m. — Marshall's Mavericks.
10:00 a.m. — Press-Radio News Service, to network.
10:05 a.m. — Mickey Gillette's Music (KGO).
10:30 a.m. — Woman's Magazine of the Air.
11:30 a.m. — Smackout, Marion and Jim Jordan.
11:45 a.m. — Vic and Sade, comedy, Art Van Harnes.
12:00 noon — Rambler's Trio (KGO to network).
12:15 p.m. — Western Farm and Home Hour.
1:00 p.m. — Betty and Bob, dramatic sketch.
1:15 p.m. — Dr. Joseph Jastrow, author, psychologist, "The Herald of Sanity," talk.
1:30 p.m. — Ma Perkins, dramatic serial.
1:45 p.m. — Dreams Come True, Barry McKinley, baritone; ensemble, direction Ray Sinatra.
2:00 p.m. — Al. Pease Gang, variety show.
3:00 p.m. — Lansdowne Pictorial, Rush Hughes (KOMO).
3:15 p.m. — Mickey Gillette and His Music.
4:00 p.m. — Pickett Sisters, vocal trio.
4:15 p.m. — Will O'Connell's Orchestra.
4:30 p.m. — Press-Radio, "An Experiment in Public Service," talk, Dean Carl Ackerman.
4:45 p.m. — The Big Top, Children's Programme.
5:00 p.m. — Mary Pickford and Stock Company.
5:30 p.m. — Nomads, direction Joseph Horink (KPO, KGO).
6:00 p.m. — Twenty Thousand Years in Sing Sing, Warden Lewis E. Lawes, drama.
6:30 p.m. — John Charles Thomas, baritone; Dally's Orchestra.
7:00 p.m. — Gabrielle Delas, contralto.
7:15 p.m. — Madame Sylvia, health and beauty.
7:30 p.m. — One Man's Family, drama by C. Morse.
8:00 p.m. — Red Davis, dramatic serial.
8:15 p.m. — Lanny Ross, Los Cabin Orchestra, direction Harry Seltzer.
8:30 p.m. — Town Hall Tonight, Fred Allen, M.C.; comedians: Songsmiths Quartette; Lenore Haydon's Orchestra; James Malton, tenor.
10:00 p.m. — News Flashes, Sam Hayes.
10:15 p.m. — Tom Caskey's Orchestra.
10:30 p.m. — Press-Radio News Service.
11:00 p.m. — Ted Fio Rito's Orchestra (KGO to network).
11:00 p.m. — Freddie Bergin's Bal Tabarin Orchestra (KPO).
11:30 p.m. — Bart Woodard's Orchestra (KGO to network).
11:30 p.m. — O'Brien Concert (KPO).

C.B.S.-DON LEE NETWORK
(KVI-KPC-KOM-KSL-KOL)
9:00 a.m. — Voice of Experience.
9:15 a.m. — The Gumps, comedy.
9:30 a.m. — Betty Crocker, recipes (Don Lee).
9:45 a.m. — Your Home and Mine.
10:00 a.m. — Just Plain Bill, drama.
10:15 a.m. — Herbert Foote, organist.
11:30 a.m. — School of Air, geography.

Saltspring Island
Mrs. Fred Crofton, Mrs. Desmond Crofton and her two children, John and Sylvia, of Ganges, have returned home after a few days spent in Victoria at the Dominion Hotel.

Donald Corbett, Francis Crofton and Jack Smith, of Ganges, have returned home from Shawanigan Lake School to spend Christmas with their parents on the island.

Miss Gertrude Mackie, of South Pender, has returned home after visiting her niece, Mrs. L. H. Walker, for a few days at Ganges Harbor.

A most attractive exhibition of dancing and exercises for balance and grace was given recently at Formby House School by eighteen of the pupils of Mrs. C. Springfield and Mrs. J. Mitchell's dancing class. Several of the parents attended the display, which in addition to modern ballroom dancing included the new fashionable barn dance, Sir Roger de Coverley, etc. The following younger children, "Bunty" Price, Heather Hoole, Mar-

garet Scoones, Lucy Burkitt, Catherine Popham, Peggy Smith, Ann Louth, Winnifred Calthrop, June Mitchell and Ormond Springfield took part in a delightful "Minuet," which was well received. Among those present were: Mrs. C. E. Baker, Mrs. W. T. A. Burkitt, Mrs. M. Calthrop, Mrs. P. Lowther, Mrs. S. W. Hoole, Captain and Mrs. George Maude, Mrs. Oxenham, Rev. and Mrs. C. H. Popham, Mrs. A. R. Price, Mrs. H. A. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Scoones, Mr. Leslie Jenkins.

Miss Audrey Lewin, of Victoria, has returned home after a few days spent at Ganges as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kingsbury.

Mrs. J. L. Taylor, of Ganges, has left for Duncan, where she will be the guest for a few days of her daughter, Mrs. J. Stewart Williams. She will spend Christmas in Victoria, and later go on to Vancouver.

Mrs. S. P. Beech, of Ganges, has left for Victoria, where she will be the guest for a few days of her niece, Mrs. George Denis.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crofton, of Ganges, accompanied by their daughter, Miss Dulcie Crofton, have left for a few days' visit to Victoria, where they are at the Dominion Hotel.

Miss M. Ware, of Vancouver, is a guest for a few days of Mr. and Mrs. Kaye, of Beaver Point.

Sooke
Having spent two weeks on Sanson Narrows, Mr. J. P. Noury has returned home.

Mrs. J. D. Whittier has left for the Sound cities and Olympia, where she will spend the holidays with her relatives.

Mrs. J. Forrest has returned, with her young son, Harold Norman, and has as a visitor her sister-in-law, Miss Agnes Forrest.

Miss J. Milne has arrived from Pritchard, B.C., and will make her home with her grandparents, Mr. E. Milne, and family.

After a few days' visit with friends and relatives, Mrs. K. Graignic and Miss G. Graignic have returned to their residence, here.

After a few months resuming a course at the University of British Columbia, Mr. T. Bowen-Colthurst has returned to his home at "Coolata."

Friends of Mrs. G. Brown will be glad to know she is improving after a few weeks in the Jubilee Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Kirby have moved to their new home on Sooke River Road.

Mr. H. Campbell has returned from a trip to Courtenay.

Grades 4 to 9: The Rift Valley of the Rhine.
12:45 p.m. — Kate Smith's Matinee.
1:00 p.m. — National Student Federation.
1:15 p.m. — Curtis Institute of Music Programme.
2:00 p.m. — Happy Go Lucky Hour (Don Lee).
3:00 p.m. — Feminine Fancies (Don Lee).
3:30 p.m. — Eddie Dunnstetter, organist.
4:00 p.m. — Edvard Beach Concert Orchestra.
4:15 p.m. — Drama of Philosophy (Don Lee).
4:45 p.m. — Between the Bookends: Ted Malone.
5:00 p.m. — Al Roth and Orchestra.
5:15 p.m. — Billy Bachelor, drama.
5:45 p.m. — Bonnie Nelson's Orchestra.
6:00 p.m. — Broadway Vanities, Everett Marshall, baritone; Elizabeth Lennox, contralto; Victor Arden's Orchestra.
6:15 p.m. — Nino Martini, Andre Kostelanetz.
6:30 p.m. — Adventures of Grace: Burns and Allen.
7:00 p.m. — Two-Way Byrd Antarctic Broadcast.
7:30 p.m. — Melody Masterpieces, Mary Eastman, soprano; Howard Barlow's Orchestra.
8:00 p.m. — Myrt and Marge, drama.
8:15 p.m. — Edwin C. Hill, Human Side of the News.
8:30 p.m. — Voice of Experience.
8:45 p.m. — Treasures of Time (Don Lee).
9:15 p.m. — Bonnie Nelson's Orchestra.
9:30 p.m. — Jacques Renard's Orchestra (Don Lee).
9:45 p.m. — Harold Grayson's Orchestra (Don Lee).
10:00 p.m. — Organ Recital (Don Lee).
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2:00 p.m. — Al. Pease Gang, variety show.
3:00 p.m. — Lansdowne Pictorial, Rush Hughes (KOMO).
3:15 p.m. — Mickey Gillette and His Music.
4:00 p.m. — Pickett Sisters, vocal trio.
4:15 p.m. — Will O'Connell's Orchestra.
4:30 p.m. — Press-Radio, "An Experiment in Public Service," talk, Dean Carl Ackerman.
4:45 p.m. — The Big Top, Children's Programme.
5:00 p.m. — Mary Pickford and Stock Company.
5:30 p.m. — Nomads, direction Joseph Horink (KPO, KGO).
6:00 p.m. — Twenty Thousand Years in Sing Sing, Warden Lewis E. Lawes, drama.
6:30 p.m. — John Charles Thomas, baritone; Dally's Orchestra.
7:00 p.m. — Gabrielle Delas, contralto.
7:15 p.m. — Madame Sylvia, health and beauty.
7:30 p.m. — One Man's Family, drama by C. Morse.
8:00 p.m. — Red Davis, dramatic serial.
8:15 p.m. — Lanny Ross, Los Cabin Orchestra, direction Harry Seltzer.
8:30 p.m. — Town Hall Tonight, Fred Allen, M.C.; comedians: Songsmiths Quartette; Lenore Haydon's Orchestra; James Malton, tenor.
10:00 p.m. — News Flashes, Sam Hayes.
10:15 p.m. — Tom Caskey's Orchestra.
10:30 p.m. — Press-Radio News Service.
11:00 p.m. — Ted Fio Rito's Orchestra (KGO to network).
11:00 p.m. — Freddie Bergin's Bal Tabarin Orchestra (KPO).
11:30 p.m. — Bart Woodard's Orchestra (KGO to network).
11:30 p.m. — O'Brien Concert (KPO).

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9:00 a.m. — Voice of Experience.
9:15 a.m. — The Gumps, comedy.
9:30 a.m. — Betty Crocker, recipes (Don Lee).
9:45 a.m. — Your Home and Mine.
10:00 a.m. — Just Plain Bill, drama.
10:15 a.m. — Herbert Foote, organist.
11:30 a.m. — School of Air, geography.

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Today the city is not only an important market and distributing centre for the surrounding district, it is also the gateway to a vast hinterland to the northward. The bridge shown in the background gives direct access to the fairland of lakes, rivers and woods, the true value of which is being realized by slowly. Not far away is Prince Albert National Park, one of the loveliest of Canada's natural playgrounds and game preserves.



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Springs	Kitchen Stools
Chiffoniers	Book Shelves
Dressers	Go-Carts
Pillows	Hammocks
Cedar Chests	Couches
Camp Cots	
Camp and Porch Furniture	

Friday's Sale will consist of all Furniture left over from Monday's and Wednesday's selling.

THE TIME: Today, 9 to 6 o'Clock

THE PLACE: Corner of Government and Johnson Streets



garet Scoones, Lucy Burkitt, Catherine Popham, Peggy Smith, Ann Louth, Winnifred Calthrop, June Mitchell and Ormond Springfield took part in a delightful "Minuet," which was well received. Among those present were: Mrs. C. E. Baker, Mrs. W. T. A. Burkitt, Mrs. M. Calthrop, Mrs. P. Lowther, Mrs. S. W. Hoole, Captain and Mrs. George Maude, Mrs. Oxenham, Rev. and Mrs. C. H. Popham, Mrs. A. R. Price, Mrs. H. A. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Scoones, Mr. Leslie Jenkins.

Miss Audrey Lewin, of Victoria, has returned home after a few days spent at Ganges as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kingsbury.

Mrs. J. L. Taylor, of Ganges, has left for Duncan, where she will be the guest for a few days of her daughter, Mrs. J. Stewart Williams. She will spend Christmas in Victoria, and later go on to Vancouver.

Mrs. S. P. Beech, of Ganges, has left for Victoria, where she will be the guest for a few days of her niece, Mrs. George Denis.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crofton, of Ganges, accompanied by their daughter, Miss Dulcie Crofton, have left for a few days' visit to Victoria, where they are at the Dominion Hotel.

Miss M. Ware, of Vancouver, is a guest for a few days of Mr. and Mrs. Kaye, of Beaver Point.

Sooke
Having spent two weeks on Sanson Narrows, Mr. J. P. Noury has returned home.

Mrs. J. D. Whittier has left for the Sound cities and Olympia, where she will spend the holidays with her relatives.

Mrs. J. Forrest has returned, with her young son, Harold Norman, and has as a visitor her sister-in-law, Miss Agnes Forrest.

Miss J. Milne has arrived from Pritchard, B.C., and will make her home with her grandparents, Mr. E. Milne, and family.

After a few days' visit with friends and relatives, Mrs. K. Graignic and Miss G. Graignic have returned to their residence, here.

After a few months resuming a course at the University of British Columbia, Mr. T. Bowen-Colthurst has returned to his home at "Coolata."

Friends of Mrs. G. Brown will be glad to know she is improving after a few weeks in the Jubilee Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Kirby have moved to their new home on Sooke River Road.

Mr. H. Campbell has returned from a trip to Courtenay.

Keating
The annual Christmas country store and entertainment was held recently at the Temperance Hall, East Saanich Road, by the Farmers' and Women's Institutes. About 300 attended. The hall was decorated with Christmas trees and novelties, and the stage was attractively arranged in the form of a country

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RATES BOOSTED BY CONFERENCE

Freights From Japan to New York Advanced—Competition Gets Keener

The trans-Pacific Eastbound Conference, consisting of British, American and Japanese steamship companies, has decided to raise its rates on goods from the Orient to New York and other American Atlantic ports by about 15 per cent on an average. The new rates will go into effect on and after February 1, 1935.

Since the replacement of the gold embargo by Japan in December, 1931, freight rates on goods shipped from Japan to foreign countries have been raised frequently. Freight rates on Indian, European, African, Hongkong and trans-Pacific westbound services have all been raised during the past three years. The eastbound service is the only one of the principal steamship services in which rates have not been boosted. The conference has been waiting to do so since early this year.

TO INCREASE RATES

With the recent cessation of the American longshoremen's strike along the Atlantic Coast, the conference finally has decided to increase rates to make good losses caused by the strike. Hearing of the decision, shippers have started an antagonistic movement against it, as they would stand to lose in shipping goods necessary for Christmas, particularly if rates were advanced. The present rate on raw silk also will be raised, and this is feared will effect more seriously the future of silk, consumption of which has been declining in America.

Competition is growing keener for a freight service from Japan to Iraq and Persia. It was initiated by the Yamashita Steamship Company in August, 1933. The British India Steamship Navigation Company, a subsidiary of the Peninsular and Oriental Steamship Navigation Company, raised a protest against the activity of the Japanese concern. The Bombay Freight Conference, consisting of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, the Osaka Shosen Kaisha and P. and O., was concerned over the protest of the British concern and has recently declared that any shipper who exports goods aboard Yamashita Steamship's vessels will not be paid rebates by the conference. It is reported, states a Japanese exchange, that the conference has also decided to send its ships direct from Japan to Persia and Iraq to compete with Yamashita Steamship.

JOSEPH GEORGE GOES ON TRIAL

Fourth Indian Brother Involved in Slaying of Constables at Canford Committed

MERRITT, B.C., Dec. 18 (CP).—Joseph George was committed for trial today, on charges of slaying Dominion Indian constable P. H. Gishborne and Provincial Constable Percy Carr at the Canford Reserve, near here, May 23 last.

Joseph's three brothers, Richardson, Ennas and Alex, were convicted of slaying Gishborne and sentenced to hang. An appeal was taken to the British Columbia Court of Appeal, which ordered a new trial.

The two officers were slain and their bodies thrown into the Nicola River when they went to the reserve to arrest Ennas on a charge of wife-slashing.

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City Will Alter Rate of Interest And Penalty Tax

Application will be made to the private bills committee of the Provincial Legislature at the coming session for permission to alter penalty charges on tax arrears of the City of Victoria, according to a recommendation of the finance committee and endorsed by the City Council.

The council will endeavor to fix the arrears penalties at 6 per cent of interest as well as a 6 per cent penalty. At present the tax penalty and interest is computed from a basis of 8 per cent.

The council hopes to be able to apply the new method on the 1935 tax bills, as approval of the private bills committee is fully expected.

FRESH CHARGES WILL BE FACED

F. J. Hand and W. R. Miles Will Have Two Additional Counts Against Them

Francis J. Hand and William R. Miles, charged with the theft of an automobile from Mrs. A. Coles in this city, were again remanded in the city police court yesterday. They will be called again this morning, and the intimation was made by the city prosecutor that there would be further charges laid against them in connection with an alleged offence at Duncan, of having entered the liquor store unlawfully. This latter charge was in the hands of the provincial police.

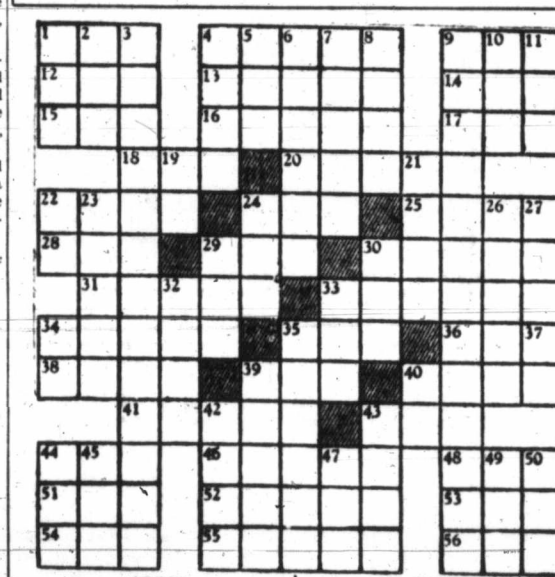
Detective Inspector J. A. McLellan explained that persons had seen the accused take the car out of the garage in the rear of Cherry Bank, where the informant lived. They had gone to Duncan in the car and on the way back had come to grief by wrecking the car in the vicinity of the Colwood Golf Course.

They had lost one of the rear tires of the car and had driven the machine without a tire for some distance. The damage was estimated at \$250. On arrival in the city on a milk truck, the accused had been apprehended and placed under arrest by Constable James Strong and members of the detective body.

Japanese of City Hold Shower for Gyro Hamper Fund

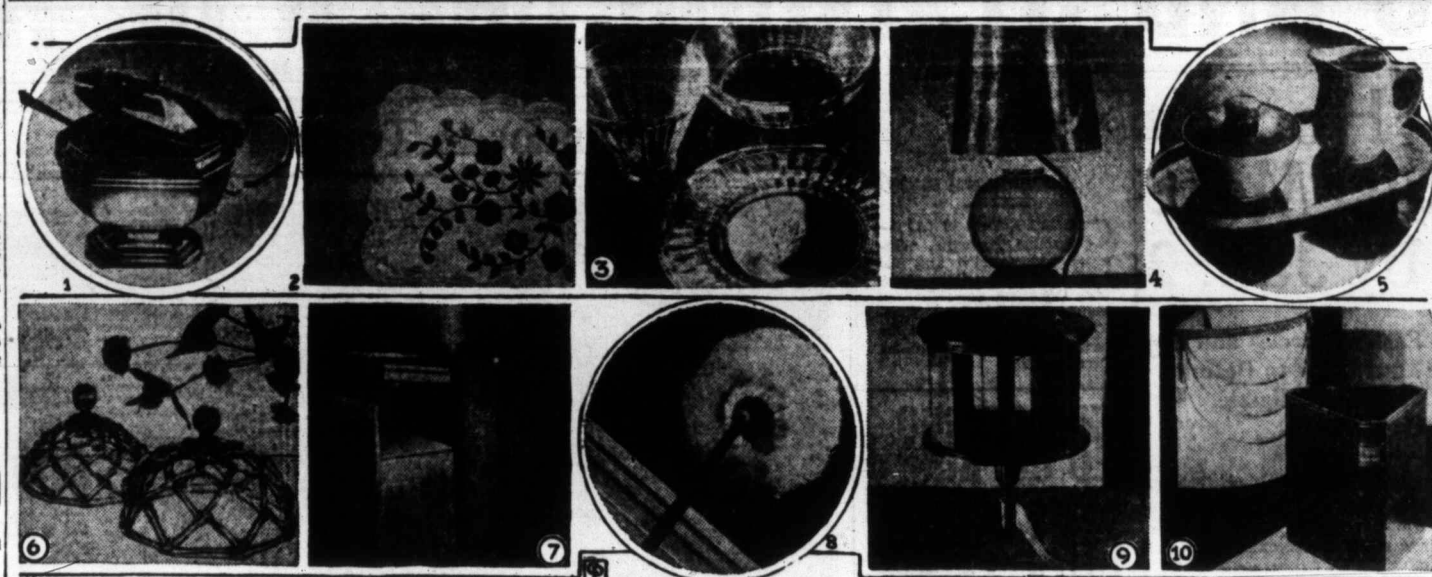
The Gyro Christmas Hamper Fund received a handsome gift yesterday from the Japanese of Victoria. A white shower was held in the Japanese Church on Monday, under Rev. T. Ogura. At the conclusion of the shower, when it was found that there were no Japanese of the city in immediate need of help, it was decided the Gyro hamper campaign would benefit most, and accordingly the gifts were sent to the hamper headquarters, Yates and Vancouver Streets.

The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle



- ACROSS**
- Evergreen.
 - Does.
 - Cooking vessel.
 - Seaweed.
 - Cognizant.
 - Bitter herb.
 - Moccasin.
 - To send back.
 - Greek letter.
 - Demon.
 - Awn.
 - Agreeable expectation.
 - Poetic old time.
 - Goals.
 - To sin.
 - American writer.
 - Distance measures.
 - Rounded roofs.
 - Sharpened.
 - To happen again.
 - To awe.
 - Spanish hero.
 - Epoch.
 - Color.
 - Heavenly body.
 - Kind of voice.
 - Hawaiian wreath.
 - Mohammedan name.
 - To dwell.
 - Unusual.
 - River.
 - Sits for picture.
 - Born.
 - Number.
 - Bolls.
 - Japanese coin.
- DOWN**
- Dude.
 - Man's name.
 - Interchange of acts.
 - Musical instrument.
 - Respect.
 - To wander.
 - Essayed.
 - Bristle.
 - Preferences.
 - Away.
 - Beverage.
 - Pronoun.
 - Shower.
 - Pronoun.
 - Command.
 - Goddess of dawn.
 - Agencies.
 - Steamship (abbr.).
 - By.
 - To cut.
 - To ponder.
 - A coal scuttle.
 - Note of scale.
 - Red.
 - Physician (abbr.).
 - Automaton.
 - Compass point.
 - Short slumbers.
 - Not so much.
 - Skill.
 - Falsehood.
 - Moisture.
 - Welsh river.
 - Lair.

You May See These Things on Window Shopping Tour



No. 1, Silver Mustard Pot; 2, Rainbow-Edge Quilt; 3, Glass Plate and Bowls; 4, Fish Globe Lamp; 5, Individual Sugar and Creamer With Wooden Tray; 6, Flower Holders; 7, Convertible Table and Chair; 8, Powder Puff for Back; 9, Book Table; 10, Two Waste Paper Baskets.

The person who doesn't like to go window shopping is well, a bit unusual, to say the least. It's a fascinating diversion, and quite frequently if we are in the mood and finances permit, the window shopping results in a sale or two.

Some of the things you might see in the course of an afternoon's or morning's window shopping—and later care to buy, for yourself, or as gifts, are pictured.

The little mustard pot (1), would be an addition to any flat silver service. Doesn't it remind you of Aladdin's lamp, or something? The little spoon matches the pot.

There's a New Deal in antiques, which have been gathering dust in

our attics while we raved over directoire, Louis XV and various older periods. Now early American furniture and flint's are all the rage, and this quilt, with the scalloped rainbow edge and in bold de rose shades, is one of the most popular gifts for the very modern Autumn bride.

Glass, old and new, is fascinating. And the cutting of this plate and the two bowls (3), makes them look like wheels going around full tilt. Your monogram may be engraved right in the middle of the plate—or the monogram of the person to whom you want it sent.

The lamp in the picture needs only a family of fish to sport in its bowl, and a bulb to shed light on

the fish family affairs, to make it complete. While the too-cute-for-words creamer and sugar, which are just built for one person, and shown at the extreme top right, are set on a light wooden tray, which matches the top of the sugar bowl. The set would make a delightful engagement present.

The odd-looking articles at the extreme left below in the picture are nothing more or less than flower holders. You put them in a fairly flat bowl and they hold the flowers in the most satisfactory manner. They are made of glass, with a fine powdering of gold specks over them and gilded knobs at the top. They come in three sizes, to fit different sized bowls.

The next article is one to make the space-saving hounds sit up and take notice. At first glance, it, or they, look like a simple telephone table and chair, the former with a space underneath for the book. But when you are not using the chair, it may be folded up tight to the table. The full moon at the back is not, as you might think, a decorative panel only. It pulls up and fits over the table top, and lo and behold, you have a neat and sturdy bridge or tea table.

If you insist on having your formal frock out 'way down low in the back, you cannot do better than buy yourself the next object, which is a powder puff on a long handle.

The table with the lovely balanced lines, next, is built after Phyfe, is twenty-five inches high, with an eighteen-inch spread. Set a lamp on the top, your favorite books underneath and sit yourself in a comfortable chair, and take your ease. The centre section revolves, so you can easily reach any book you wish.

The really pretty wastebasket is rare, but the two shown, extreme right, are decorative as well as useful, and though they are expensive, as such things go, they are "well worth the price." The white one would go with any room, and the brown leather is particularly smart for a library, being bookish. Both sit well in corners.

DIGGING UP THE NEWS

I Attend the King's Funeral in a Dilapidated Silk Hat—Garbage Men Make a Hit in Whitehall at the Coronation—An Incident That Made Queen Mary Laugh and King George Look Alarmed

By HERBERT RAMSAY

On the day of the King's funeral the staff was divided along the route from Westminster Hall to Paddington station. The particular section I had to look after was along Whitehall to the Horse Guards—that place known to every tourist where two imposing sentries on horseback stand motionless all day.

I had a special pass to enable me to proceed along the line of route between these points, but not to move during the half hour

before cortège started and during its progress. When I left home that morning I was wearing a silk hat, and it was the cause of a most embarrassing experience. Forgetting my unusual headgear I bounced into a bus and crashed my hat against the top of the doorway. The hat crumpled like a concertina! I put my fist inside and pushed it out as well I could, but at best it looked as if it had been in a foot-ball scrimmage. A reporter is accustomed to being prominent owing to his preferential position at all kinds of ceremonies, but never did I feel so terrifically self-conscious as that morning, when, armed with my police pass, I walked down the centre of Whitehall, a lone figure between an avenue of troops and thousands of people lining both sides of the street. It was not that I was obvious conspicuous—that was in the nature of things—but I felt as if I were an insect on the point of a pin being examined under a microscope. It seemed to me that everyone of those thousands of pairs of eyes was focussed on my dilapidated topper. Probably nobody noticed it, but I wished I had thrown it over Westminster Bridge into the Thames. A hatless man would not have been out of place at a royal funeral. However, I sneaked along like a thief in the night and took up a position beside one of the sentry boxes at the Horse Guards from which I commanded a view of the procession coming down Whitehall.

THE PROCESSION

Long before I saw anything, the muffled tolling of Big Ben told me that the cortège was on the way. Then came the roll of drums, and the piercing wail of silver trumpets from the guards' bands playing a funeral march, so sad and yet, so exquisite that I felt a shiver run down my spine. In a few minutes the funeral came into view. I moved inside the Horse Guards, which is a sort of bottleneck, and was within a couple of feet of the procession. First the coffin on a gun-carriage, followed by the King's charger, then a servant leading his favorite white rough-haired terrier, Caesar. I was so taken up with the dog that King George was opposite me before I was aware. Then a sight which no man is likely ever to see again—eight kings on horseback, two abreast. One was riding a little while of the procession, and I had to recede a couple of feet to avoid being brushed by his horse. I looked up at the rider. It was the Kaiser. He was so close that I could have touched him. He presented a magnificent figure. He rode erect, in a white uniform, and an eagle on his white helmet.

The picture of the Kaiser that day was to me the most striking in the whole procession. And that is about all I recall of King Edward's funeral.

QUIET IN LONDON

For more than a year after the King's death things were very quiet in London. There were no public ceremonies and no banquets. With the approach of the coronation, London came to life again. On the day of the coronation I had to cover the Whitehall section between Trafalgar Square and Westminster Abbey. There was very little to write about, and but for one comic incident I would have been hard put to it to make "copy." Our man inside the Abbey had more to do than all the rest of the staff to gether.

About an hour before the ceremony the ambassadors' carriages began to roll down Whitehall to the Abbey. No automobiles were used, the conveyances all being furnished to each ambassador from the royal

mews. The ambassadors had to be in their places half an hour before the King and Queen left the Palace, and the period of waiting was decidedly tedious. I took a seat on a stand almost opposite Downing Street, having a ticket from a Government department. When everybody was getting bored, along came a garbage wagon belonging to the Borough of Westminster to give the street a final clean up before the Royal coach should pass. As the wagon ambled along a few people began to give the two garbage men a tritonal cheer. These men certainly had a keen sense of humor, for, sensing the spirit of the occasion, the driver sweepingly doffed his hat, and his mate in the body of the wagon did the same, both bowing and scraping from side to side in the grand manner of Royal courtiers. Whitehall resounded with cheers, and it may not be less majestic to say that the subsequent cheers for the King and Queen paled by comparison.

A TRIUMPHAL TOUR

Next day the newly-crowned King and Queen made a triumphal tour of the West End to the Guildhall in the City of London. On this occasion my assigned position was the Griffin which marks the junction of the Strand and Fleet Street, the entrance of the domain of the Lord Mayor of London. At this point an interesting ceremonial takes place whenever the King enters the city. The Lord Mayor is supreme within the city area, and following ancient custom the King has to ask permission to enter. The Lord Mayor meets him at the Griffin and offers a ceremonial sword as a symbol of being a freeman. The King simply touches the sword, and that gesture satisfies tradition.

The King and Queen drove along in an open carriage. The Lord Mayor that year was the late Sir Vezey Strong. He was standing on foot awaiting Their Majesties. The formality over, Sir Vezey walked back a few steps to remount his horse and lead the cavalcade to the Guildhall. Sir Vezey, who was a big, heavy man and by no means young and spry, was a wholesale druggist by trade, and probably as unhappy on the back of a horse as the master of an ocean liner. At any rate, as he attempted to mount, the horse became restive, and the Lord Mayor hopped around with one foot in the stirrup and the other on the ground. An attendant helped to push him astride, and when at last he succeeded, the horse made off at a trot. The Lord Mayor, who was no doubt anxious to be as dignified as possible, in the presence of the King and Queen, rode a most ungainly "seat," and as the horse cantered toward the head of the procession the back view of Sir Vezey resembled that of John Gilpin, with his coat-

ails flying and hanging on as best he could. The King sat waiting with a rather anxious look but, Queen Mary, unable to restrain herself, leaned back in the carriage and smothered her laughter with her hand.

And that is another story of the "now it can be told" character. On that occasion Their Majesties were not wearing their coronation robes and crowns as they were the day before.

Strange to say, the coronation crowds in the streets were not nearly as large as expected. So many cautions had been issued about crowding in certain spots, and barriers had been erected on the sidewalks along the route so as to shut off the people when those places became congested, that the public was literally scared from attending.

TO MAKE REPORT ON DARDANELLES

Council Committee to Investigate Traffic Conditions in Fort Street "Narrows"

Traffic congestion in the Dardanelles, that strip of roadway on Fort Street between Harrison Street and Belmont Avenue, was brought to the attention of the City Council, Monday night, by Alderman P. R. Brown, chairman of the council's finance committee.

Alderman Brown's recommendation that the executive of the public works committee "investigate and report" was given the full approval of the whole council.

WIDENING SCHEME

It is some years since the Dardanelles has been an issue in the council chamber. In 1930, the council advanced a scheme to widen the strip so as to make the thoroughfare safe for traffic, but after considerable land had been acquired, the proposal failed to pass in council, with the result it was shelved.

There was no discussion on the question last night, but it was intimated by individual aldermen, after the meeting, that the execu-

tive of the committee might go a step further than investigate on traffic conditions.

Ven. A. R. Beverley, rector of Barrie and Archdeacon of Simcoe, was elevated on the third ballot to be Suffragan Bishop of Toronto, on Tuesday, November 20, with nearly 500 clergy and laymen casting ballots.

Two recitations were given by Miss C. G. Fox and A. W. Arnup. Miss Fox read from Dickens' "Christmas Carol," and Mr. Arnup read an excerpt from "The Hound of the Baskin's."

Two recitations were given by Miss Nora Cullen; songs were sung by Miss C. M. Arnup, Mrs. Witfield and A. Cullen, and pianoforte solos were rendered by Ian Llewellyn. The evening was concluded with the singing of Christmas carols by the gathering.

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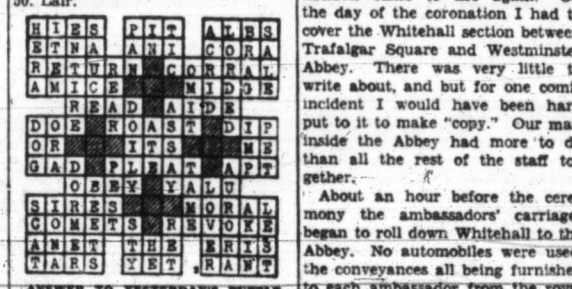


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ANSWERS TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE

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BRUINS AND ST. LOUIS CHALK UP HOCKEY WINS

Maritime Hockey Teams Must Make Decision by Jan. 2

Troubles Arise Again in Eastern Circles and Big Four Mercantile League Must Come to Definite Verdict Early Next Month—Ineligible Players Are Under Fire

AMHERST, N.S., Dec. 18 (CP).—Warning members of the Big Four Mercantile League that they were facing suspension, President James E. Wry, of the Maritime Amateur Hockey Association today told them they must make a definite and immediate choice between commercial hockey and hockey leading to the Allan Cup competition.

They would have to declare for commercial hockey, outside the pale of the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association, or drop ineligible players and reopen the Maritime Hockey League with the intention of playing for the Allan Cup under the auspices of the parent body, he declared.

Granting a concession, President Wry permitted the clubs to conclude the first section of their schedule, ending December 21, but demanded a definite decision before resuming play January 2.

He added that when he had learned from President A. E. O'Leary, of the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association that the Maritime clubs were under suspension he had gained this delay in action.

TO FIX AFFAIRS

Representatives of Moncton, Halifax, Charlottetown and Saint John clubs apparently were not prepared for the ultimatum but they agreed to have their affairs in order by the end of the year.

They had come to Amherst to attend special meetings of the M.H.L. and M.M.H.L., called to consider the dispute with the C.A.H.A. arising out of recent imports from Western Canada.

President Wry explained that not only were four newcomers from Winnipeg ineligible under the Gillroy order of suspensions, but all other players refused transfers were placed in the same category. If the four teams decided to play commercial hockey they would do so outside the C.A.H.A. jurisdiction and a bulletin would be issued warning players to refrain from playing with or against such commercial organizations.

According to President Wry, the teams, in order to retain their M.A.H.A. affiliation, must use eligible players and proceed with a schedule that would enable them to take part in the Maritime and Allan Cup playdowns.

TO TAKE ACTION

Momentary indignation was expressed by some delegates, but President Wry stated similar action was to be taken in other parts of Canada. When Sheriff C. D. Shipley, secretary of the Maritime Provinces Branch, Amateur Athletic Union of Canada, said the "clean-up" might be extended to other branches of sport the situation was accepted.

The Mercantile League was formed by clubs of the M.H.L. after the C.A.H.A. refused transfers to a number of players who had come to the Maritimes. Later Moncton reached into Winnipeg for Duke Campbell, Johnny Templeton and Harry Deleux, and Saint John brought Alex Archer from the Western city. An uproar ensued, the C.A.H.A. president charging the Maritime League with "raiding."

Max Baer Will Face Levinsky on December 28

CHICAGO, Dec. 18 (AP).—Frankie Battaglia, Winnipeg middleweight, and Kid Leonard, Moline, Ill., today were matched to fight ten rounds on the Max Baer-King Levinsky heavyweight card at the Chicago Stadium, December 28.

REG HOPKINS PINS PEARS IN MAIN MIX

Conceded Falls in Fourth and Fifth Rounds Decides Mat Bout

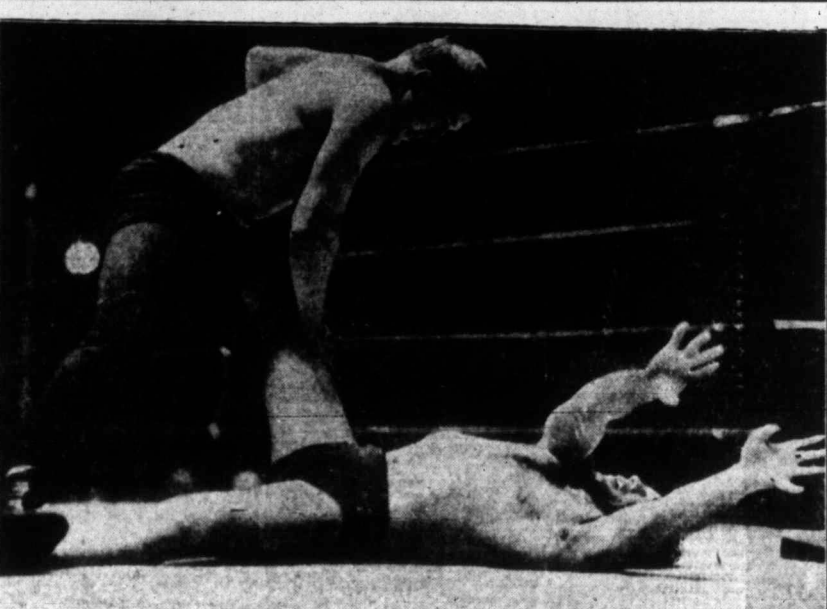
Conceded falls in the fourth and fifth rounds when his opponent was forced to tap the mat, Reg Hopkins, young and coming wrestler, defeated Johnny Pears, two falls to one, in the main event of yesterday evening's Gyro hamper fund wrestling programme, at the Tillicum gymnasium. Staged by the Tillicum Athletic Club, the show drew a mere handful of mat fans, but as there were no expenses in connection with the event, the total "take" will go to the hamper fund.

"Pat" Griffin, Victoria welterweight, scored a straight-fall victory over Al Garnot, in the semi-windup. Griffin gained the first fall in the third round with an airplane spin and body slam, and was awarded the match when Garnot could not answer the bell in the next canto.

Wrestling at 130 pounds, Alex Gardner and Bill Stein grappled to a one-fall draw in the third bout on the card. Vic Politano, British Columbia lightweight champion, scored a one-fall victory over George Lowe, Chinese flash, in the second match, while "Young" Doc Sarpolis and "Young" Des Anderson grappled to a no-fall draw in the curtain-raiser.

The card was arranged by Johnny Pears, with all of the wrestlers giving their services in an effort to make Christmas a little happier for someone.

Jim Londos in Tough Position



Jim Londos, the Greek Adonis of the grappling game, is shown spread on the canvas of a New York ring as Dick Shikat, his opponent, in a bout advertised as placing the Greek's heavyweight wrestling title at stake, applies a strenuous hold. Londos, however, wriggled out of his uncomfortable position, and succeeded in pinning Shikat's shoulders to win the finish match and retain his "championship."

BRENTWOOD WINS SHUTTLE MATCH

Defeats Garrison, 13-3, in Third Division League Fixture on Home Courts

Brentwood's third division badminton players defeated visiting Victoria Garrison representatives, 13-3, in a Lower Vancouver Island Badminton League fixture played on their home courts. In a fourth division match, Brentwood's shuttle squad battled to a draw with Deep Cove.

Scores, in the Brentwood - Garrison match, with the home players first mentioned, follow:

WOMEN'S DOUBLES

Miss Phyllis Sluggett and Miss Joyce Thompson won from Miss Allen and Miss Hall, 15-2, 15-4, and 15-10.

Mrs. H. Andrew and Miss Betty Murdoch won from Miss Allen and Miss Hall, 15-5, 13-15, 15-7, and won from Mrs. Dobbie and Miss Ruggles, 15-6, 15-1.

MEN'S DOUBLES

D. Woodward and A. Francis lost to Merston and Connolly, 11-15, 15-7, 10-15, and won from Leeming and Norris, 15-2, 15-11.

G. Barber and D. Godwin won from Leeming and Norris, 15-12, 15-2, and won from Merston and Connolly, 15-7, 15-11.

MIXED DOUBLES

Miss J. Thompson and A. Francis won from Miss Ruggles and Merston, 15-11, 15-9, and lost to Miss Hall and Connolly, 11-15, 18-15, 9-15.

Victorians on Varsity's Rep. Rugby Fifteen

VANCOUVER, Dec. 18 (CP).—University of British Columbia's McKechnie Cup team was selected tonight with former Vancouver Island stars named to seven of the fifteen positions.

Headed by Harry Robson, diminutive blonde-haired half from Victoria College and a former Victoria Rep. player, the Island players are: S. Leggart, University School; John Burd, Shawnigan Lake School; Joe Roberts, Victoria College; Jim Mitchell, Brentwood College; Ron Upward, Victoria College, and Ed Senker, University School.

Shirley Griffin, Robbie Gross, Bill Morris, Ed McGuire, Harry Pearson and Tommy Roxborough, of Vancouver, and J. Harrison, former Australian star, complete the Varsity line-up.

Miss B. Murdoch and D. Godwin lost to Miss Hall and Connolly, 18-13, 10-15, 0-15, and won from Miss Ruggles and Merston, 15-4, 15-10.

Miss P. Sluggett and D. Woodward won from Mrs. Dobbie and Leeming, 17-14, 15-10; and won from Miss Allen and Norris, 10-15, 15-7, 15-6.

Mrs. H. Andrew and G. Barber won from Miss Allen and Norris, 15-12, 10-15, 15-12; and won from Mrs. Dobbie and Leeming, 15-13, 12-15, 18-13.

BRENTWOOD-DEEP COVE

Scores in the Brentwood No. 2 Deep Cove match, with Brentwood players first mentioned, follow:

WOMEN'S DOUBLES

Mrs. Gilmore and Miss B. Simpson won from Mrs. Beattie and Miss D. Beattie, 15-8.

Misses P. Maber and B. Brodhurst lost to Mrs. Lambert and Miss Bristowe, 15-8.

Misses P. Maber and B. Brodhurst won from Mrs. Beattie and Miss D. Beattie, 15-11.

Mrs. Gilmore and Miss Simpson won from Mrs. Lambert and Miss Bristowe, 15-5.

MEN'S DOUBLES

J. Burridge and C. Woodward lost to G. Douglas and E. Beattie, 10-15, 10-15, and F. Airale lost to G. Douglas and E. Beattie, 12-15.

R. Main and F. Airale won from C. Lambert and Anderson, 15-9.

J. Burridge and C. Woodward won from C. Lambert and Anderson, 15-12.

MIXED DOUBLES

Mrs. Gilmore and C. Woodward lost to Miss Beattie and G. Douglas, 9-15.

Miss Simpson and R. Main lost to Miss Beattie and G. Douglas, 11-15.

Miss Simpson and R. Main won from Mrs. Lambert and Lamberton, 15-10.

Miss B. Brodhurst and J. Burridge won from Mrs. Beattie and Beattie, 15-10.

Miss P. Maber and F. Airale lost to Mrs. Beattie and Beattie, 12-15.

Miss P. Maber and F. Airale lost to Miss Bristowe and Anderson, 3-15.

Miss B. Brodhurst and J. Burridge lost to Miss Bristowe and Anderson, 4-15.

BOWLING

ARCADE ALLEYS

COMMERCIAL TENPIN LEAGUE

Eagles—D. Eder, 517; G. Foster, 460; G. Cain, 184; S. West, 328; T. Beasley, 400; J. Patterson, 322; H. McDonald, 151. Total, 2,372.

Stage Depot—F. Healy, 347; M. Deane, 127; F. Martin, 469; H. Woolston, 462; R. Elwood, 488; A. Spouse, 324. Total, 2,417.

Stage Depot won two.

Victoria Ice Co.—J. Baker, 487; S. Baker, 420; G. Alderson, 446; W. Johnston, 478; H. Harris, 460. Total, 2,292.

Crestal Commercial—J. Temple, 587; H. Crais, 455; H. Hazzard, 439; B. Loe, 486; A. Tripp, 341. Total, 2,508.

Colost Commercial won three.

Poodle Dog Cafe—P. Walker, 497; H. Taylor, 486; R. Best, 288; H. Jealous, 389; low score, 378. Total, 2,051.

Arades—H. Leeson, 441; A. Nunn, 280; W. Wylie, 339; S. Ray, 413; P. Smith, 524; A. Dick, 316. Total, 2,513.

Arades won three.

OLYMPIC ALLEYS

CIVIL SERVICE TENPIN LEAGUE

Agriculture—F. W. Johnson, 576; G. L. Poulkes, 352; E. W. White, 430; G. L. Stewart, 507; E. Butler, 593. Total, 2,458.

Firearm—D. F. Porter, 412; P. Humphrey, 416; H. McCaw, 589; B. Johnston, 549; R. J. Bacon, 662. Total, 2,591.

Firearm won three.

Binders—H. Price, 484; H. Adams, 503; G. Davison, 455; G. Neill, 616; S. Anderson, 512. Total, 2,560.

Fans—R. Weicker, 335; N. O'Connell, 381; J. Hickey, 413; M. Weicker, 428; F. O'Connell, 485. Total, 2,242.

Fans won two.

Tillicum A.C.—A. Falk, 580; A. Riddell, 526; A. Potts, 520; J. Quinn, 552; low score, 464. Total, 2,615.

Poodle Dog Cafe—A. Manson, 596; G. MacLennan, 477; H. Green, 545; A. Hawkins, 557; R. Wilson, 642. Total, 2,817.

Poodle Dog Cafe won three.

C.Y.P.C. FIFTEEN LEAGUE

Little Wonder—Rev. Gekker, 427; H. Collins, 411; N. Shanks, 525; M. Webb, 388; C. Webb, 517. Total, 2,148.

Fans—R. Weicker, 335; N. O'Connell, 381; J. Hickey, 413; M. Weicker, 428; F. O'Connell, 485. Total, 2,242.

Fans won two.

Macgill—Jack Cox, 489; Teresa Doherty, 350; Roger Weicker, 521; Ray Morry, 378; Rev. J. A. Gaudette, 478. Total, 2,068.

Red Devils—Fred Doherty, 475; Sheila O'Connell, 462; John Reid, 497; Eugene Doherty, 388; Al Dunnett, 601. Total, 2,423.

Red Devils won three.

Shamrocks—F. Greaves, 517; K. Martin, 182; John Grant, 479; A. Moser, 335; G. O'Neill, 396. Total, 2,615.

Flashes—A. Scarborough, 525; M. Webb, 389; J. Grant, 452; L. Webb, 457; M. Grant, 325. Total, 2,139.

Flashes won two.

Edinburgh XV Wins

EDINBURGH, Dec. 18 (CP).—Edinburgh Academicals defeated Cambridge University, 17-0, in a Rugby union match this afternoon.

BOSTON SCORES 5-3 WIN OVER RANGERS; HAWKS HELD TO TIE

Nels Stewart Nets Two Goals Within Twenty Seconds in First Period—Chicago in Deadlock With Canadiens—Eagles Nose Out Hawks in Close Overtime Struggle, 2-1

BOSTON, Dec. 18 (AP).—Boston Bruins, with big Nels Stewart back in action, squared accounts with New York Rangers by gaining a 5-3 victory before 7,500 admirers, tonight.

Stewart, back in good standing after his one-game suspension, the result of his stick-duel with Dede Klein, of the Americans, in the New York last week, lost no time going into action.

He needed only twenty seconds to score twice in the initial session, with Charlie Sands, of Port Arthur, and "Red" Beattie, assisting. Jack Shill registered the third Boston counter and Bill Cook opened the Rangers' scoring with less than six minutes to go.

Frank Boucher put the Rangers back in the running by caging the only second-period tally and, during the third session, after Marty Barry talked, without assistance, Cecil Dillon put the Rangers back into the fight. The elder Patrick's forces tossed caution aside as they battled for the tying tally, but Dit Clapper trapped them, ringing up the fifth and final Boston goal.

Line-ups follow:

Boston Position

Thompson.....goal.....Kerr

Stewart.....defence.....Johnson

Shore.....defence.....Selbert

Kaminsky.....centre.....Boucher

Barry.....wing.....P. Cook

Clapper.....wing.....W. Cook

Boston subs.—Stewart, Beattie, Sands, O'Neill, Gagnon, Jerwa, Portland, Williams, Shill.

New York subs.—Dillon, Keeling, Murdoch, Patrick, Connolly, Mason, Levinsky, Heller.

Officials.—M. J. Rodden and Eusebe Daignault.

Summary

First period—1, Boston, Stewart (Sands), 3:26; 2, Boston, Stewart (Beattie-Sands), 3:46; 3, Boston, Shill (O'Neill-Gagnon), 8:40; 4, New York, W. Cook (Selbert), 14:37.

Penalties—None

Second period—5, New York, Boucher (W. Cook), 12:43.

Penalty—Selbert.

Third period—6, Boston, Barry, 2:55; 7, New York, Dillon (Murdoch), 13:40; 8, Boston, Clapper (Beattie), 19:01.

Penalties—None

Stops—Thompson, 24; Kerr, 36.

HAWKS IN TIE

MONTREAL, Dec. 18 (CP).—A 1-1 overtime tie here, tonight, marked the first meeting of Montreal Canadiens and Chicago Black Hawks since the National Hockey League season opened. Both teams scored in the opening period and then battled fifty-five minutes without scoring.

Roger Jenkins, ex-Black Hawks' defenceman now with Canadiens, put the red shirts out in front near the half-way mark in the opening period when he waltzed through the Chicago defence and whizzed a knee-high drive into the back of the Chicago cage.

Four minutes later Hawks evened it up on a scintillating play. Little Tommy Cook dodged over the Canadiens blue line at centre and bunched the defence. As the red-shirt defencemen lunged at him he slipped a neat pass to his left, Louis Trudel, came whirling in along the boards and cut in fast to scoop up the waiting pass and shooting the puck behind Wilf Cude.

Line-ups follow:

Chicago Position

Chabot.....goal.....Cude

Burke.....defence.....Carson

Coulter.....defence.....Jenkins

Morenz.....centre.....Lepine

Morens.....wing.....Joliat

Gottselig.....wing.....Larochelle

Chicago subs.—Thompson, Coulter, Romnes, Locking, Kendall, Cook, Weibe, McFadyen, Trudel.

Canadiens' subs.—S. Mantha, G. Mantha, J. Riley, Savage, Raymond, McGill, Mondou, D. Roche.

Referees—Bill Stewart, Boston, and Odie Cleghorn, Montreal.

Summary

First period—1, Canadiens, Jen-

kings, 9:04; 2, Chicago, Trudel (Cook), 15:53.

Penalties—Coulter, McGill.

Second period—No score.

Penalties—Coulter (2), Carson, Joliat, March.

Third period—No score.

Penalties—Lepine, Gottselig, Coulter.

Overtime period—No score.

Penalties—McGill, Burke.

Stops—Chabot, 30; Cude, 24.

EAGLES BEAT AMERKS

NEW YORK, Dec. 18 (AP).—Last-

place St. Louis Eagles took advantage of their opponents' mistakes, tonight, to defeat New York Americans, 2-1, in a slow but bruising overtime game and record their third victory of the National Hockey League season. Only about 5,000 fans turned out for the game.

The principal mistake was a couple of infractions of the rules which sent Alex Smith and Al Murray off the ice in the overtime period. While Murray was absent, the Eagles attacking at full force, Bill Brydges tried to help out Goalie Roy Worters by getting in front of Frank Finnigan's long shot. He cut off the goalie's view and enabled Finnigan to score the winning goal.

Finnigan also tallied the first St. Louis goal in the opening period. Harry Oliver penetrated the tight Eagle defence in the second period to even the count on a cleverly executed solo play while both teams were short-handed.

Line-ups follow:

Americans Position

Worters.....goal.....Beveridge

Dutton.....defence.....Bowman

Murray.....defence.....Drew

McVeigh.....centre.....Lamb

Oliver.....wing.....Finnigan

Gracie.....wing.....Shannon

America subs.—Burke, Schirmer, Conn, Chapman, Carr, Emms, Brydges, Smith.

St. Louis subs.—Voss, Ripley, Brydson, Howe, Roche, Wasnie, Patterson, Ayres.

Officials.—A. G. Smith and Jack Cameron.

Summary

First period—1, St. Louis, Finnigan (Lamb), 13:35.

Penalties—Frew (2), Smith.

Second period—2, Americans, Oliver, 16:20.

Penalties—Frew, Emms (2), Finnigan, Ripley, Bowman.

Third period—No score.

Penalties—Lamb, Ripley, Emms.

Overtime period—3, St. Louis, Finnigan (Lamb-Brydson), 4:57.

Penalties—Smith, Murray.

VICTORIA FIGHTER SCORES KNOCKOUT

Sonny Buxton Beats Pat Neilson While Billy Buxton Gains Decision at Bellingham

BELLINGHAM, Wash., Dec. 18 (CP).—Sonny Buxton, hard-hitting light heavyweight from Victoria, scored a three-round technical knockout over Pat Neilson, of Port Orchard, Wash., in the semi-windup of the Frankie Monroe-Cecil Payne main event here tonight.

Billy Buxton, also of Victoria, won a four-round decision from Bert Somers, Missoula, Mont., in a preliminary.

Buxton weighed 134, Somers, 132 1-2.

In the main event, Monroe, Portland, 135, won a ten-round decision from Payne, Louisville, Ky., 137.

MINE EXPLOSION TAKES TWO LIVES

Three Hundred Men Endangered by Blast in California Shaft—Four Others Hurt

GRASS VALLEY, Cal., Dec. 18 (AP).—Two miners were killed here today in a powder explosion 3,000 feet deep in the Empire Star Mine, which filled the mine levels with gas and choked several other underground workers into unconsciousness.

The dead are Frank Harvey, thirty-five, and Clarence Dickerman, twenty-two. Harvey was blown to bits in the explosion, and Dickerman asphyxiated by the fumes, which sent the three hundred men in the mine stamping up the inclined shaft, coughing and choking.

Rescue crews on trucks brought four unconscious miners to the surface.

GOSLIN SIGNS UP FOR THREE YEARS

DETROIT, Dec. 18 (AP).—Leon "Goose" Goslin, Detroit Tiger outfielder, has signed a three-year contract with the Detroit Baseball Company at a salary increase, the amount of which was not announced.

JOE TURNESA TURNS IN 62

Shoots Dazzling Round in Leading \$5,000 Open Golf Tournament

NASSAU, Bahamas, Dec. 18 (AP).—Blasting par by six strokes, and the course record by two, Joe Turnesa, of Hartford, Conn., today turned in one of the lowest rounds ever made in major competition to take the lead at the first eighteen holes of the \$5,000 British Colonial Open golf tournament with a dazzling 62.

He used but twenty-five putts in running up a two-stroke edge over Ralph Stonehouse, of Indianapolis, and Jack Thompson, of Youngstown, O., both of whom equaled the course record at 64.

Pressing closely was Billy Burke with a 65. Jules Hult, Quebec pro, carded a 71.

Victoria Club In Shuttle Win

DUNCAN, Dec. 17. — Playing a match in Division III, Lower Island Badminton League, the Victoria Badminton Club defeated Duncan III here, Saturday night, by a score of 9-7. Duncan won all the women's doubles and two of the men's doubles, but only succeeded in capturing one mixed

UNION OILERS TO MEET RIBBONS HERE SATURDAY

Undeclared Seattle Team Will Perform Against Victorians

Well-Balanced Sound City Aggregation Booked for Exhibition Fixture at High School Gymnasium—Visitors Bringing Nine Players—Locals Will Be Out After Victory

Not the least bit discouraged over their 42-31 setback at the hands of the clever De Molay quintette, of

Seattle, last week, Victoria Blue Ribbons, the Capital City's hopes for a second Dominion hoop crown, will be on display again, Saturday night, at the High School Gymnasium, when they move on the court to tackle the highly rated Union Oil squad, also from the Sound City, in an exhibition argument. In the second game, Canadian Scottish will face Kingham-Gillespie in the boys' intermediate "A" division, while the opener is yet to be arranged.

Although not discouraged over their showing against the visiting chubmen, the Ribbons were far from satisfied at the way the team clicked, and will be out just to show Victorians what they really look like when their machine is working right. De Molay had the Ribbons baffled with a flock of plays, seldom seen on a local floor. The tea and coffee merchants were up against a five-man defence and also a powerful offensive, which proved a smart scoring punch against the local rear guard.

FINALLY CLICKED

However, the Ribbons did go to work in the final quarter and outscored the visitors by a clear margin, but the damage was done in the first two periods. Try as they did, the local hoopers could not pull defeat out of the fire with only ten minutes to wipe out a big deficit. Another thing, the Ribbons failed to go in and get the rebounds off their opponents' basket, and very seldom got any coming from their own hoop, which proved a big factor in their downfall.

Union Oil is probably the best Commercial League squad in Seattle this season, and should give Victorians a good display of the popular pastime. To date the Oilers have not tasted defeat, and are hoping to keep their record intact at the expense of the tea and coffee experts. Two outstanding players are Hank Levoff, former University of Oregon star, and Bill Murphy, ex-Gonzaga University ace. Levoff will work at guard along with Fred Derichs, while Murphy will look after the centre position. Flanking him will be Gaffney at right forward, and Cruickshanks on the left lane. Four substitutes will be with the team, two forwards, Ainslee and Wright, and a like number of guards in Foster and Harden.

LOCAL LINE-UP

The Ribbons will have their usual squad working. Chuck Chapman and Doug Peden will form the rear division, while Art Chapman will jump at centre, with Red Martin on one wing and Porky Andrews on the other. Johnny Craig and Alex McKeachie will be on the bench ready for reserve duties. Art Chapman returned to the line-up last week after a long lay-off and checked in with fourteen points, most of them from field goals.

St. Louis Cards Is Paying Club

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 18 (AP).—The world champion St. Louis Cardinals have declared and paid a 10 per cent dividend on both common and preferred stock which totals approximately \$100,000.

President Sam Breadon's share of the dividend is about \$75,000 as he holds 72 per cent of the stock in the National League club.

The amount of the dividend was a surprise to baseball followers, who believed the Cardinals were a financial disappointment last season.

This year's dividend is the first declared in three years. In 1931 the club declared three dividends, each totaling \$50,000, or \$5 a share.

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Bad Six-Day Bike Spill



One of the bitter spills during the six-day bicycle race in New York is pictured. The front wheel of Duellberg's bike tangled with the rear wheel of his teammate Wisel's machine, and both crashed to the pine floor saucer. The accident delayed the race twenty-five minutes.

Norm Hill and Grimm Leading Six-Day Grind

BUFFALO, N.Y., Dec. 19 (AP).—Norman Hill, of San Jose, Calif., and Willie Grimm, Maplewood, N.J., riding as the Red, White and Blue team, forged to the front in Buffalo's six-day bicycle race as the last day of the long grind started. At 1 a.m. they stood tied on mileage with two other teams but snappy work in the sprints had placed them on top of the heap by one point.

Standing at 1 a.m.	Miles	Laps	Pt.
Hill-Grimm	1,488	9	282
Duellberg-Wisel	1,488	9	281
Letourner-Debaets	1,488	9	227
Ritter-Rodak	1,488	8	233
Garrison-Sheehan	1,488	8	173
Landis-Thomas	1,488	7	352
Martineti-Testa	1,488	7	247
Spencer-Lipeet	1,488	6	299
McNamara-Reboll	1,488	4	283

Remember When

(Twenty-Five Years Ago)

At the Work Point grounds, yesterday afternoon, the Garrison hockey eleven inflicted a severe defeat on the North Vancouver team by a score of 5 to 2. The game was one of the Prior Cup series, played on a heavy ground. It was fast and clean throughout, and the score represents the merit of the teams.

The A.O.P. football team of Victoria has arrived. On the strength of its excellent showing against Nanaimo yesterday at the Canteen grounds, Esquimalt, when the visitors were sent away with nothing better than a draw, the fraternal society's eleven must be rated among the best Island exponents of the game. The two goals that they obtained against the flower of Nanaimo's youth were well earned and a brave fight was made to prevent the visitors obtaining the couple of points that placed them on an even basis.

Results of Second Division football fixtures played here yesterday follow:
Empress 7, Y.M.C.A. 1.
Fifth Regiment 2, Victoria West 2.
North Ward 6, Esquimalt 2.

SCOTT'S SCRAPBOOK - - - - - By R. J. Scott



Maurice Peters Still Leading Closest Rival

SAN MATEO, Cal., Dec. 18.—Maurice Peters, sensational young rider from the Eastern turf, is still leading his closest rival for 1934 jockey honors by seven races, with a total of 214 up to the close of racing at Bay Meadows. Peters has a great record this season, with 172 seconds opposite his name and 144 thirds. He has unplaced 475 times. Jockey S. Coucci is right on Peters' tail with 207 winners, 166 seconds and 171 thirds. He has unplaced 490 times. The title for the year will be settled during the last few days of the month at the new Los Angeles track, which opens Christmas Day. Both these riders will be performing, and it should be anybody's championship up to the final day of 1934.

SCHOOL BOYS DISPLAY FORM

Cranleigh House Lads Give Fine Demonstration of Gymnastics and Boxing

The boys of Cranleigh House School delighted a large audience at the school on Monday evening with a clever exhibition of gymnastics and boxing. All bouts were well contested, the young fighters showing a surprising knowledge of the game and each one being quite willing to mix from going to going.

In the middle class, John Carr, J. Clay, E. Lemon and C. Mayell, in spite of their youth, showed great promise, staging bouts which were full of action, and winning hearty applause from the gathering. Perhaps the best show was staged by three juniors, P. Denbigh, R. Horsfield and G. Hotham. So fast and exciting were these fights, and so evenly matched were the fighters that, had there been any decision to give, the judges would have been at a loss to pick the winner at their weight.

MIX WILLINGLY

P. Jeanneret and P. Horsfield fought a good fight, while both M. Harmanston and K. Walker mixed willingly in three fast rounds. As a finale to the boxing, A. Denbigh and the instructor, G. Kinch, entertained with two fast rounds.

Following the boxing, both the junior and senior gym squads performed a series of clever stunts, some of which were of an advanced nature, on the vaulting horse, finishing up with three spectacular tableaux smartly built.

Refreshments, served by Mrs. Milton, brought an enjoyable evening's entertainment to a close.

West's Football Club Smoker Is Billed Tomorrow

Players of more than a decade ago and youngsters who today are playing for the Victoria West Cubs, will rub shoulders, tomorrow evening, at the Victoria West Football Club's annual smoker, in the Sons of Canada Hall, over Hatt's Hardware, Douglas Street.

An attractive programme of entertainment has been arranged by the committee in charge, and a great evening is promised. The function is billed to get under way at 8 o'clock.

All present-day players, members of any of the three clubs operated by the Victoria West Club, and any former Greenshirts are asked to attend.

CRICKET FOR CITY SCHOOLS IS OBJECTIVE

Local Association Will Attempt to Foster Game Among Students

Definite steps will be taken next season to foster cricket in the various public schools. This move, generated by the Victoria and District Cricket Association at their last annual meeting, will, no doubt, materialize into a big thing and should popularize the game among the younger generation. As a preliminary move towards the formation of a league, the executive of the Victoria and District Association has named delegates to attend a meeting, which will be held in the near future, in the City Hall, with delegates present from all the local schools. Inspector George Deane will call the meeting, and will invite the various school principals.

It is the intention of local cricket officials to coach the lads in the evenings, between April 15 and the closing of schools for the summer vacation. The boys will be under the supervision of the school principal and will be assisted by members of the senior cricket league, who will do most of the coaching.

TO PLAY SATURDAYS

Matches will be played Saturday mornings, under proper direction. The schools will be segregated so that several leagues can be formed, not only embracing the city schools, but also those in Oak Bay, Esquimalt and Saanich. Another objective is to provide competitive cricket for high schools, colleges and private schools, such games to be played when most convenient.

The real purpose of the Victoria and District Cricket Association in fostering this scheme is to see that the boys at all schools have the opportunity of receiving instruction, under favorable conditions, so that all branches of the game can be taught, not forgetting the spirit of cricket.

New Orleans Racing

PAIR GROUNDS, NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 18.—Results here today follow:

First Race—One mile:
Peggy's Peep (Terry).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Golden X (McCurry).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Honey's Best (Dillon).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Time, 1:44 3-4.

Second Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Termywood (Fernandes).....\$14.00 \$5.00 \$3.00
Hammer Jim (Balaski).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Honey's Best (Dillon).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Time, 1:09 1-5.

Third Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Termywood (Fernandes).....\$14.00 \$5.00 \$3.00
Hammer Jim (Balaski).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Honey's Best (Dillon).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Time, 1:09 1-5.

Fourth Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Termywood (Fernandes).....\$14.00 \$5.00 \$3.00
Hammer Jim (Balaski).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Honey's Best (Dillon).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Time, 1:09 1-5.

Fifth Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Termywood (Fernandes).....\$14.00 \$5.00 \$3.00
Hammer Jim (Balaski).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Honey's Best (Dillon).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Time, 1:09 1-5.

Sixth Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Termywood (Fernandes).....\$14.00 \$5.00 \$3.00
Hammer Jim (Balaski).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Honey's Best (Dillon).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Time, 1:09 1-5.

Seventh Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Termywood (Fernandes).....\$14.00 \$5.00 \$3.00
Hammer Jim (Balaski).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Honey's Best (Dillon).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Time, 1:09 1-5.

Eighth Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Termywood (Fernandes).....\$14.00 \$5.00 \$3.00
Hammer Jim (Balaski).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Honey's Best (Dillon).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Time, 1:09 1-5.

Ninth Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Termywood (Fernandes).....\$14.00 \$5.00 \$3.00
Hammer Jim (Balaski).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Honey's Best (Dillon).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Time, 1:09 1-5.

Tenth Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Termywood (Fernandes).....\$14.00 \$5.00 \$3.00
Hammer Jim (Balaski).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Honey's Best (Dillon).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Time, 1:09 1-5.

Eleventh Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
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Hammer Jim (Balaski).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Honey's Best (Dillon).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
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Twelfth Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Termywood (Fernandes).....\$14.00 \$5.00 \$3.00
Hammer Jim (Balaski).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Honey's Best (Dillon).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Time, 1:09 1-5.

Thirteenth Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Termywood (Fernandes).....\$14.00 \$5.00 \$3.00
Hammer Jim (Balaski).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Honey's Best (Dillon).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Time, 1:09 1-5.

Fourteenth Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Termywood (Fernandes).....\$14.00 \$5.00 \$3.00
Hammer Jim (Balaski).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Honey's Best (Dillon).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Time, 1:09 1-5.

Fifteenth Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Termywood (Fernandes).....\$14.00 \$5.00 \$3.00
Hammer Jim (Balaski).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Honey's Best (Dillon).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Time, 1:09 1-5.

Sixteenth Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
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Hammer Jim (Balaski).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Honey's Best (Dillon).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Time, 1:09 1-5.

Seventeenth Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Termywood (Fernandes).....\$14.00 \$5.00 \$3.00
Hammer Jim (Balaski).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Honey's Best (Dillon).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Time, 1:09 1-5.

Eighteenth Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Termywood (Fernandes).....\$14.00 \$5.00 \$3.00
Hammer Jim (Balaski).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Honey's Best (Dillon).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Time, 1:09 1-5.

Nineteenth Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
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Hammer Jim (Balaski).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Honey's Best (Dillon).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
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Hammer Jim (Balaski).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Honey's Best (Dillon).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
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Honey's Best (Dillon).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
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Hammer Jim (Balaski).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
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Twenty-third Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Termywood (Fernandes).....\$14.00 \$5.00 \$3.00
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Honey's Best (Dillon).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
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Twenty-fourth Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Termywood (Fernandes).....\$14.00 \$5.00 \$3.00
Hammer Jim (Balaski).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Honey's Best (Dillon).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
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Twenty-fifth Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
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Hammer Jim (Balaski).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Honey's Best (Dillon).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Time, 1:09 1-5.

Twenty-sixth Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Termywood (Fernandes).....\$14.00 \$5.00 \$3.00
Hammer Jim (Balaski).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Honey's Best (Dillon).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
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Twenty-seventh Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Termywood (Fernandes).....\$14.00 \$5.00 \$3.00
Hammer Jim (Balaski).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Honey's Best (Dillon).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Time, 1:09 1-5.

Twenty-eighth Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Termywood (Fernandes).....\$14.00 \$5.00 \$3.00
Hammer Jim (Balaski).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Honey's Best (Dillon).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
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Honey's Best (Dillon).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
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Termywood (Fernandes).....\$14.00 \$5.00 \$3.00
Hammer Jim (Balaski).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
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Termywood (Fernandes).....\$14.00 \$5.00 \$3.00
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Honey's Best (Dillon).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
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Thirty-second Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Termywood (Fernandes).....\$14.00 \$5.00 \$3.00
Hammer Jim (Balaski).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Honey's Best (Dillon).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
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Thirty-third Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Termywood (Fernandes).....\$14.00 \$5.00 \$3.00
Hammer Jim (Balaski).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Honey's Best (Dillon).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
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Thirty-fourth Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Termywood (Fernandes).....\$14.00 \$5.00 \$3.00
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Termywood (Fernandes).....\$14.00 \$5.00 \$3.00
Hammer Jim (Balaski).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
Honey's Best (Dillon).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
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Honey's Best (Dillon).....\$5.00 \$4.00 \$3.00
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West Road Will Meet Tillicums In Hoop Feature

WITH the Hudson's Bay and the Doo Dads, men's "C" cagers, playing in the initial fixture at 7:30 o'clock, three basketball games will be presented at the High School gymnasium tonight by the Victoria and District Basketball League. In the middle spot on the programme will be the Canadian Scottish and the Dealtis intermediate "A" boys' hoop squads, while the final encounter will bring together West Road and the Tillicums, men's "B" quintettes. With the playing schedule rapidly nearing its conclusion and points meaning considerable to the clubs, the games should be keenly contested.

Sir Kai	100
Counsellor Crane	107
Night's End	107
Old Nick	91
Irene's Bob	114
Brown With	114
Zekiel	110
Seventh Race—Mile and one-eighth:	
Temple Dancer	98
Prince Ben	101
Dark Alton	102
Tarnish	103
Yarallion	103
Sarcasitic	106
Old Daily	106
Blind Pass	106
Truamagne	106
Grand Volvoide	106
Lord Dean	106
Mayco	102
Solus	101
Luke Connell	111
Jack Murphy	106
Moncke	106
Eighth Race (Sub.)—Mile and one-eighth:	
Hold Hard	102
Kievite	107
Huraway	107
Lake Commoner	110
Jerry S	108
Bob Weidel	107
Sergeant Hill	105
Shirley E	101
Donna Wood	108
Oaten	107
Phanara	106
Wood River	107
Mokan	102
Friend Fred	102

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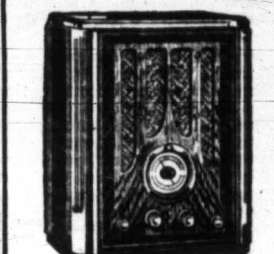
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BASKETBALL

UNION OIL (Seattle) vs. BLUE RIBBON

DECEMBER 22, 7:30 P.M.

HIGH SCHOOL GYM.

FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

Security Prices Little Changed At Wall Street

NEW YORK, Dec. 18 (AP).—Conflicting clouds blurred the financial picture today, and the speculative galleries were inclined to view the scene with any marked enthusiasm.

The majority of stocks milled about in an extremely narrow range throughout the rather dull session. Turnover dropped to 821,560 shares. The average for 90 selected issues registered a decline of two-tenths of a point at 72.7.

Merchandizing stocks again drew a modest following. Gainers of fractions to around 2 points, at new tops for 1934, included McCrory Stores preferred and common, Industrial Rayon, J. C. Penney, Curtis Publishing preferred, and Caterpillar Tractor. American Can and Liggett & Myers "B" improved a point or so. On the other hand, Public Service of New Jersey dropped a point, and the other power stocks were a bit heavy.

Canadian distillery issues and the mining shares were fractionally lower in the Canadian list. A continued broad demand for U.S. Treasury issues and a steady tone in prime corporate loans added the bond market. Some of the lower-priced carrier obligations declined.

A number of the best grade corporate bonds broke through their highs for 1934 or longer.

The foreign list was narrow and only slightly changed.

(Jenks, Gwynne & Co.)

(All fractions in eighths)

ELECTRICAL AND MANUFACTURING

High Low Close

Allis Chalmers Mfg. 15 15 15

Gen. Electric 19 19 19

Westinghouse Elec. 23 23 23

MISCELLANEOUS AND MANUFACTURING

Am. Can Co. 107 107 107

Bendix 15 15 15

Case Threshing 13 13 13

Celanese Corp. 32 32 32

Consolidated Ed. 32 32 32

Continental Can. 61 61 61

Curtis-Wright 2 2 2

Deere Corp. 24 24 24

Douglas Aircraft 32 32 32

Dupont de Nemours 93 93 93

Eastman Kodak 108 108 108

Gillette 13 13 13

Indus. Rayon 64 64 64

Int'l. Harvester 38 38 38

Int'l. Cash Register 16 16 16

Nor. Am. Av. 3 3 3

Pullman 47 47 47

Radio Corp. of Am. 12 12 12

Simmons Co. 9 9 9

United Aircraft 13 13 13

Westinghouse Pump 15 15 15

RAILS

Altoona Corp. 1 1 1

Atholton 34 34 34

Baltimore & Ohio 11 11 11

Canadian Pacific 45 45 45

Chesapeake Corp. 45 45 45

Ches. & Ohio 4 4 4

C. M. & St. Paul 2 2 2

Del. Cat. & West. 16 16 16

Gen. Central 17 17 17

Ill. Central 16 16 16

Missouri Pacific pfd. 23 23 23

Norfolk Central 21 21 21

Norfolk Southern 20 20 20

Pennsylvania R.R. 24 24 24

Southern Pacific 17 17 17

STEEEL AND IRON

Amn. Car & Found. 17 17 17

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FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Dec. 18 (AP).—

Foreign exchange firm. Quota-

rents.

France—Demand 6.61%; cables

6.61%.

Italy—Demand 6.57%; cables

6.57%.

Belgium—23.45.

Germany—40.25.

Holland—77.75.

Norway—24.87.

Sweden—25.53.

Austria—18.81.

Finland—22.11.

Switzerland—32.47.

Spain—12.70.

Portugal—45.00.

Greece—94.

Poland—18.91.

Czechoslovakia—4.18%.

Jugoslavia—2.58.

Australia—18.81.

Hungary—39.75.

Rumania—1.01.

Argentina—32.00.

Brazil—3.61.

Tokio—28.89.

Shanghai—34.27%.

Hankow—42.55.

Mexico City (silver peso)—27.35.

Mexico City (gold peso)—10.94.

New York, in Montreal—38.97%.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Dec. 18 (AP).—

Quotations in dollars: Demand,

4.84%; cables, 4.84%; sixty-day

bills, 4.84%.

WHEAT PRICES

SWING UPWARD

Futures Gain Fractionally

on Strength of Increased

European Sales

WINNIPEG, Dec. 18 (CP).—Possi-

bility of larger European purchases

of Canadian wheat shortly was re-

flected in higher wheat prices on

the Winnipeg Grain Exchange to-

day. Values closed 3-8 to 1-2 cent

advance.

Today's export sales were esti-

mated at 750,000 bushels, and re-

ports indicated further sales in pros-

pect. With Monday's 400,000-bushel

sales, the two-day movement totaled

1,150,000 bushels.

Backed by this support, futures

were strong throughout the session

and closed only fractions from the

day's tops, December at 77 1/2, May

at 82 3/4 to 7-8, and July 83 1/2 cents.

Strength at Chicago contributed to

the upturn.

Cash and coarse grains held

steady in dull trading.

WINNIPEG GRAIN

(Jenks, Gwynne & Co.)

Wheat—P.C. Open High Low Close

Dec. 77 1/2 77 3/4 78 1/4 77 1/2

May 82 3/4 83 1/4 83 3/4 82 3/4

July 83 1/2 84 1/4 84 3/4 83 1/2

Barley—P.C. Open High Low Close

Dec. 54 54 54 54

May 54 54 54 54

July 54 54 54 54

Oats—P.C. Open High Low Close

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Rye—P.C. Open High Low Close

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CHICAGO GRAIN

(Jenks, Gwynne & Co.)

Wheat—P.C. Open High Low Close

Dec. 77 1/2 77 3/4 78 1/4 77 1/2

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July 83 1/2 84 1/4 84 3/4 83 1/2

Barley—P.C. Open High Low Close

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MINES SOTER AT VANCOUVER

Decline Becomes Heavy in Late Afternoon—Reno Moves Upward

VANCOUVER, Dec. 18 (CP).—Prices dropped heavily in late trading today, after a firm forenoon session and only the odd issue closed with a net gain.

Pioneer Gold was down 50 at 10.30. Bralorne lost 15 at 11.85 and Victoria lost 5 at 11.11. Denison was off 2 1/2 and B.R.X. Premier Gold and Grange lost a cent each. Hercules Consolidated was the trading feature and remained unchanged at 1 1/2 and Dictator, yesterday's top seller, was unchanged.

Reno Gold sold up to 1.15 and closed with a net gain of 5 at 1.13, and United Empire was slightly stronger at 8.

B.C. Nickel was off a cent at 39. Colicanto lost 2 at 30 and Sally was down 5 at 1.10.

Royalite closed practically unchanged at 16.75 and the rest of the oils were quiet and unchanged.

MORNING SALES

Amalgamated—1,000 at 100.

Meridian—1,000 at 100.

Packa—1,000 at 100.

Royalite—1,000 at 100.

United Oil—1,000 at 100.

Beaver—1,000 at 100.

Bralorne—1,000 at 100.

B.R.X.—1,000 at 100.

Denison—1,000 at 100.

Hercules—1,000 at 100.

Meridian—1,000 at 100.

Morning—1,000 at 100.

Pioneer—1,000 at 100.

Premier—1,000 at 100.

Reno—1,000 at 100.

Sally—1,000 at 100.

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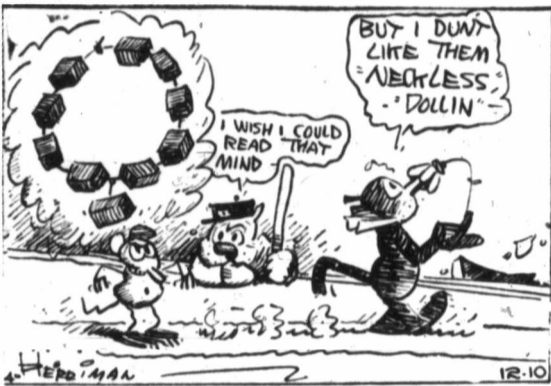
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KRAZY KAT By Herriman**THE TUTTS** . . . By Crawford Young**How It Started**

By JEAN NEWTON

TO BE A JONAH

To say of a person that he is a Jonah is to brand him a hoodoo, a bringer of hard luck. The word owes this sense to an incident in the Bible.

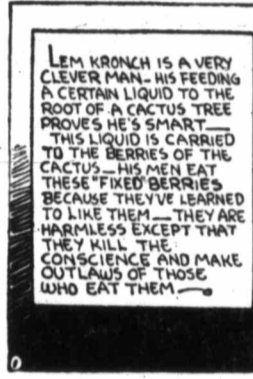
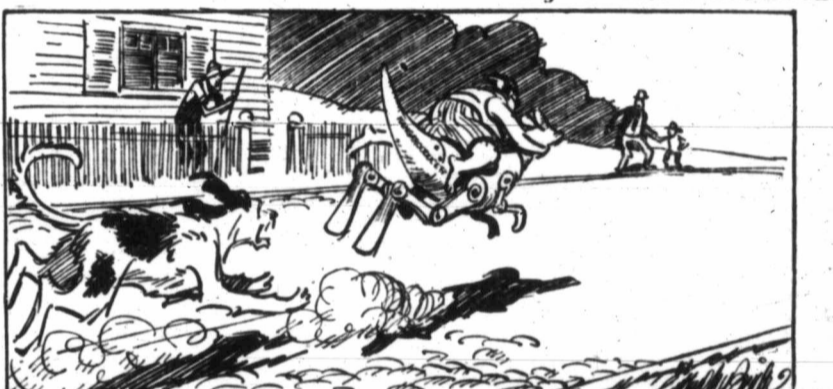
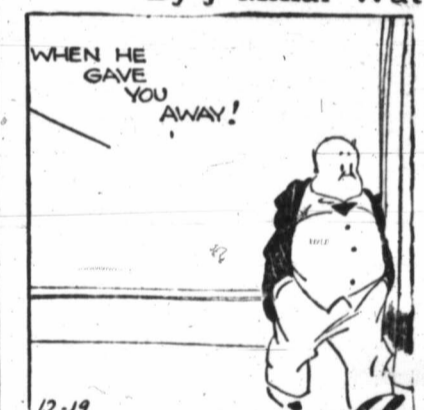
In the Book of Jonah, it is related how the prophet Jonah, disobeying a mandate of God, fled on a ship for Tarshish.

During the voyage a terrific storm came up. Superstitiously looking among them for its cause, the sailors, on learning that Jonah had "fled from the presence of the Lord,"

thought they had it. They threw Jonah overboard, and "the sea ceased from her raging."

After many adventures, Jonah finally completed his errand, which is another story, but he had given us a word which will stay in our language forever to indicate a harbinger of ill fortune.

Each of two brothers will hold the highest office in his church. Dr. Marshall B. Lang will be nominated as the next Moderator of the Church of Scotland. He is brother of Dr. Cosmo G. Lang, the Archbishop of Canterbury, and the two are sons of Rev. Dr. John M. Lang, himself at one time a Moderator of the Scottish Church. The English dignitary was reared by an Anglican uncle and joined that church.

APPLE MARY**TODDY****Forethought****By George Marcoux****POPEYE****By Segar****NAPOLEON AND UNCLE ELBY****By Clifford McBride****POP****Pop's a Brave Man****By J Millar Watt****TILLIE THE TOILER****Common but Exclusive****By Westover****DIXIE DUGAN****Quick Work!****By J P McEvoy and J H Striebel**

MANITOBA BOND ISSUE OFFERED

**Sale of Fifteen-Year Debentures
to Be Best Made for
Many Years**

WINNIPEG, Dec. 18 (CP).—Sale by a group of investment dealers of \$25,000,000 fifteen-year debentures

The issue will go on sale tomorrow. The price represents a cost of 44 1/2 per cent ~~and~~, according to Mr. McPherson, "the best sale made by Manitoba or any other Western borrower for many years." Proceeds will be used to retire outstanding Treasury bills bearing higher rates of interest. Price of the debenture to the public will be \$97.75 yielding 4.20 per cent interest.

The syndicate consists of Wood Gundy & Co., Limited; Dominion Securities Corporation, Limited; A. E. Ames & Co., Limited; the Royal

Bank of Canada, and the Canadian Bank of Commerce.

Metal Markets

LONDON, Dec. 18 (AP).—Closing: Copper, standard, spot, £28 2s 6d; future, £28 6d. Electrolytic, spot, £31 10s; future, £32.

Tin—Spot, £228 5s; future, £228 10s.

Lead—Spot, £10 2s 6d; future, £10 7s 6d.

Zink—Spot, £11 12s 6d; future, £11 17s 6d.

AT NEW YORK

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Tin—Steady; spot, nearby and future, 50.90.
Iron—Quiet, unchanged.
Lead—Steady; spot, New York, 370; East St. Louis, 3.53.
Zinc—Firm; East St. Louis, spot and future, 3.75.
Aluminum, 19.00 to 22.00.
Antimony—Spot, 14.00.

Montreal Produce

MONTREAL, Dec. 18 (CP).—Declines in egg and butter prices featured trading on the Montreal Produce and Dairy Market today.
Eggs—A-large, 35; A-medium, 25; A-pullets, 23; B-large, 19; B-medium, 17.1; C, "C," 15.

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Butter—No. 1, 203-4; solids, 22;
prints, 23.

Cheese—No. 1 Ontarios, 91-2.

MAYNARD & SONS

AUCTIONEERS

AUCTION SALE

TODAY AT 1:30

At Our Salesrooms, 731-733 Johnson
Street

Furniture and Effects

Sheffield Plate

Feature pieces — 3 Chesterfield Suites, Sunroom Suite, 2 Dining-Room Suites, Walnut Bedroom Suite, 3 Singing Canaries, 2 Orthophonic Gramophones, Diamond Ring, 9-Tube Electric Radio Set, Sheffield Tray and other pieces, Limoges Tea Set, "Thor" Electric Washing Machine, Breakfast-Room Suite, and other nice Furniture as per list already published.

Morning Sale at 10:30

4 Cows, Poultry, Vegetables, Rowboat, Incubator, Ladder, Etc.

Friday will be our next sale, and then another Big Toy Sale, Satur-

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AUCTIONEERS

Thursday, Dec. 20

Extensive Sale
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Happy Jack.
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Westinghouse Grandmother
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Also at 1:30 P.M.
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On-View From 9 A.M.
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XMAS Permanent 15c Per Curl
\$2.50 Whole Head

Reverse Spiral Push Up Croquignole

Avellon Beauty Shoppe

In order to introduce this sensational new method of permanent waving, we are making this special offer. Reverse spiral is the sensation of New York and Hollywood; closer to the head, soft wave for top and sides; beautiful tapering ringlet ends.

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PORT ALBERNI LOSES APPEAL

Prosecution for Selling Can of Milk Leads to Heavy Costs

PORT ALBERNI, Dec. 18.—A little five-cent can of milk may turn out to be an expensive article. At least the City of Port Alberni has found it so, especially when it is the means of paying the fees of two lawyers, bringing an ex-chief of police from North Vancouver, and paying witness fees, to say nothing of the procedure of a judge having to travel 150 miles, besides many other lesser details which were necessary.

Last October, a local woman, who runs a store outside the business section of the town, was charged by then Chief of Police Davey, with keeping her store open at 6:30 o'clock in the evening and selling a can of milk to a local resident. The charge was heard by the local magistrate, who found out that there was no evidence and dismissed the charge without calling the defence. The chief of police, who prosecuted, strongly advised an appeal, and the local merchants requested that an appeal be taken. The City Council then retained counsel and instructed that an appeal be taken.

ADJOURNED APPEAL

The appeal came before His Honor Judge Barker last November, but was adjourned until December 15. On Saturday last, the matter came before His Honor Judge McIntosh, who was sent in to hear the case owing to the absence of Judge Barker.

Chief of Police Davey, who is now a constable in the Provincial Police stationed at North Vancouver, arrived in town and gave his evidence of the can of milk, while several other witnesses told what they knew about it. After hearing the evidence the judge dismissed the case without calling upon the defence. "I agree entirely with the magistrate when he dismissed this case in the police court," was the only comment of Judge McIntosh.

Virginia Vane Says:

UNWANTED WIFE WANTS TO HELP HUSBAND WHO APPARENTLY DOES NOT LOVE HER

Dear Miss Vane: I have been married for seven years and have a son. I persuaded my husband to marry me. He finally agreed to marry me, and has always been a good and kind and affectionate husband to me. No one suspects that we are anything but the most loving couple in the world. But I know that we are the unhappiest.

I have found out finally that when I persuaded my husband to marry me, he was in love with someone else. I came between them. I ruined his happiness for him. He has tried not to show it, but I love him so much that I can understand all.

A dozen times a week he shows me clearly that he cannot really love me, and because I am sincerely in love with him I am always freshly hurt at the discovery of his indifference.

I know that he will never leave me. I know also that he will never love me. He saw the girl he loved recently, and he was un-nerved for hours afterward. I feel so sorry for him. It seems unfair that he should suffer all his life for one mistake. I would gladly go away and even come to some compromise about the care of my boy if I thought my husband could be happy. I am almost beside myself trying to figure out this problem. I have never dared mention the girl, because after all my husband has been fair to me and I do not want to intrude on his private grief.—Unwanted Wife.

First of all, I want to point out to other readers who have written me, the lesson to be gained from a letter like this. There are hundreds of you men and women who need that lesson—you who are so confident that you can make a success of marriage although you cannot bring to it your whole-hearted, unselfish love.

"Oh, we'll manage," Miss Indifferent tells me calmly. "He is so crazy about me, he'd die if I didn't marry him. And I know I can make him happy even though I'm not in love with him."

"Yes, I've got to marry her," says Mr. Lukewarm. "I've promised her—and I won't back out on a promise. She isn't the girl for me exactly but it'll make her happy to have me for a husband so I'll go through with the ceremony."

And that sort of chivalrous impulse very often ends in the tragedy of Unwanted Wife—who, although she has the comforts of life, the privilege of being a wife—and the opportunity of seeing the man she loves every day—still lives in constant misery and despair.

For she can't be deceived into thinking that true happiness is hers. She hasn't got what she wanted. She suffers more in living with the man she loves and knowing him to be indifferent—than she could ever have suffered in losing him completely.

You are more than ordinarily just and unselfish, Unwanted Wife. You can still face the truth without bitterness or rancor. You realize the mistake you both made, in attempting to make a success of marriage on the wrong basis. And because you are so clear-minded it seems to me that you should be able to discuss with your husband, the chief cause of the trouble.

You see in your particular case there is some hope—a hope that your husband's indifference to you was caused always by his obsession about this other girl—and not by a fundamental difference in your two natures.

The fact that he gave up the other girl for your sake has increased his unconscious resentment toward you and made it impossible for him to love you naturally and fully. He's had plenty of time, in all these years to imagine how wonderful life might have been with the one and only. His imagination has robbed his inamorata of her faults, and cast a halo about her perfectly everyday head. And the fact that he has had to keep silent on the subject of his obsession has lent more power to his imagination—more glamour to the old love.

I suggest that you try to show him that you understand. Make him look on you as a friend, at least. Make him confide in you and come to depend on you as he has not done before. Be gentle with him—be as just and fair in your dealings with him, as you have been in explaining his side of the story to me.

And perhaps you will uproot that obsession. Perhaps when your husband is brought face to face with the truth, he'll realize that for years he's been cherishing an illusion. Try to make him see the girl as she is—an everyday human being who may not necessarily be the only woman in the world for him at all.

You have much on your side. You have bound him to you with innumerable ties—even though he believed always that his heart belonged to someone else. When he is prepared to face facts and to analyze his own emotions—he may come to realize how much you mean to him—and how futile has been his long preoccupation over a vanished love affair.

T. S. R.: Legal advice is necessary in this case. You can certainly obtain redress through the law and your first move should be to consult a good lawyer.

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Costs were given against the city. L. A. Hanna appeared for the defence and A. Saunders appeared for the informant, Mr. Davey, and the City of Port Alberni.

CONCERT WILL ASSIST MEMBERS OF REGIMENT

In aid of the unemployed members of the regiment, the 1st Battalion, Canadian Scottish Regiment concert party will hold a Monte Carlo night, Friday evening, at 7:30 o'clock. The party will be held in the Armories.

Games of skill and other novelties will be offered. Contests will be conducted. Sergeant-Major Thomas Dempster, R. Q.-M.S. Cyril Turner, and C.S.-M. Harry Warburton have been appointed a committee to manage the function.

WILL GIVE TALK ON SUGAR BEETS

KEATING, Dec. 18.—The South Saanich Farmers' Institute will hold its regular meeting at the Temperance Hall, East Saanich Road, on Thursday night. R. Tait will speak on growing and marketing of sugar beets. Mr. Tait has recently returned from the Prairies, while he has been in touch with several firms who are vitally interested in the sugar beet industry.

Campbell River

Miss Gwen James spent Sunday at her home in Grantham.

Mr. C. Clarke, of Port Alberni, was a recent visitor here.

Mrs. Charles McDonald, Messrs. Arnold and Alex McDonald, of Cumberland, were recent visitors here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Soutar and daughter, Averil, and Mr. Charles McDonald, of Quathlaqui Cove, were recent visitors here.

Mrs. and Miss J. Boffy have returned from a visit to Vancouver.

Mrs. E. Olson has left for a short visit to Vancouver.

INTERESTING NEWS FOR GIFT SHOPPERS

Store Open All Day From 9 A.M. to 6 P.M. Today

Women's Printed Sport Hankies

Fine Cambric and Pure Irish Linen
Priced at Only
5¢ 10¢ 15¢

This is an event that is exceptionally timely—when everyone is buying gifts! And you will be surprised at the smart styles and the fine quality of these popular-priced hankies! Shown in a large and varied assortment.

Children's Hankies

Box of Three for **25¢**

Children will be delighted with these Hankies—they have such amusing and clever characters embroidered on them. In white and colors. Special, per box of three for **25¢**

Also Printed Hankies for children **5¢ and 10¢**

Eugene Lambert's Shaving Sets

We have just received a late shipment of this popular set, in the black and silver container, comprising: One Shaving Lotion, One After-Shave Talcum and One Shaving Cream—All for **75¢**

—Toiletries, Main Floor

RAINBOW GIFT HOSIERY

Has Four Suggestions for

RAINBOW "CLEAROPHANE"

Chiffon Silk Hose, 4-thread, 42-gauge sheer chiffon to top. Fashionable shades. Sizes 8½ to 10½. Per pair **75¢**

RAINBOW "CLEAROPHANE"

Ultra Sheer Chiffon Silk, 2-thread, 45-gauge, with all-silk foot. In all desirable shades for evening wear. **\$1.00**

RAINBOW "NIGHTCLUB CREPE"

An improved, ringless, sheer crepe hose, 48-gauge and silk to top. In all newest shades and sizes 8½ to 10½. Per pair **\$1.50**

RAINBOW SERVICE-WEIGHT

14-Thread Silk Hose, the heaviest service-weight made in Canada. Shown in a wide range of shades, also black and white. Sizes 8½ to 10½. Pair **\$1.95**

—Hosiery, Main Floor

Cut Crystal Perfume Bottles

For Milady's Table! Tinted Glass Bottles, cut in fascinating and lovely designs with the new "dropper stopper." Prices range from **50¢ to \$3.00**

—Perfumery, Main Floor

SILK LINGERIE

Delightful Gifts for Women

Kayser Glusilk Vests, Bloomers and Panties. In pastel colors. The vests with bodice top. Bloomers with yoke front and elastic at knee. Panties in flare style, with skeleton waist, or briefs with cuff knee.

Sizes 34 to 42. A garment **\$1.00**
Sizes 44 to 46. A garment **\$1.50**
Silk Brassieres. A garment **75¢**

Gowns and Pyjamas of crepe de Chine and runproof rayon. At a suit **\$1.95**
Brassiere - Top Teddies in black or colors. Sizes 32 to 36. Priced at, each **\$1.95**
Black Satin Dance Sets for evening wear. At **\$1.95**

Rayon Vests and Bloomers in very attractive designs and colors. A set, **\$1.00, \$1.50 and \$1.95**
Pyjamas and Gowns of heavy crepe de Chine, trimmed with laces. All sizes. At, each **\$2.95**

—Lingerie, 1st Floor

Women's Wool Gloves

A Cozy Gift for the Friend in the Country

Smart Wool Gauntlets or Knitted-Wrist Style Gloves, all 100% pure wool and very comfortable for wear on these cold days. Seamless knit. Three prices, a pair **59¢, 75¢ and 98¢**

—Gloves, Main Floor

Give Her a Bathrobe

Women's Beacon Cloth Robes of a heavy textured cloth. Shown in a variety of colorings and patterns. They are trimmed with satin and have silk girdles. Sizes 34 to 44. Priced at **\$3.95 and \$4.95**

Flannel Dressing Gowns in plain shades or striped patterns—and have self belts. Blue, rose, green, wine and orchid shades. Very smart robes for **\$5.95**

Superior-Grade Robes of fine flannel, in striped effects. Several shades and special values at **\$9.95**

—Mantle Dept., 1st Floor

Snaps Today in Toyland

Mechanical Train, complete with engine, tender, cars and track **69¢**

Doll Salky, of strong fibre, with heavy rubber-tired metal wheels. At, each **\$2.75**

"Tootsie" Baby Dolls. Very special today at, each **\$2.25**

Folding Doll Go-Carts with rubber tires and spoke wheels. Priced at, each **\$1.95**

50 Kiddie Kars with disc wheels. Special, **\$1.19**

—Toys, 2nd Floor

Chesterfield Cushions

Fascinating Silk Cushions in all the newest designs, colorings and shapes. Some very charming styles for gifts at **\$1.50 to \$2.75**

—Staples, Main Floor

Liberty Novelties

At Less Than Half Price

Those who appreciate the quality of goods from Liberty's, London, will find this sale of great interest! These are all genuine bargains from our Liberty Shop, 2nd Floor!

4 Only, Morocco Leather Purses **\$1.95** 8 Only, Morocco Embroidered and Bags. Regular \$6.50 for **\$1.95** Purses. Regular \$2.50 for **95¢**

Parchment Book Covers, Note Pads, Bridge Boxes, Card Cases, Etc. Values to \$6.00 for **\$1.95**

Parchment Letter Pads. Regular \$14.75 for **\$5.00**

Russian Woodwork Bases. Regular \$18.00 for **\$7.50**

Large Kashmir Powder Boxes. Regular \$7.50 for **\$2.50**

Parchment Waste Paper Baskets. Regular \$10.75 to \$15.00. On sale at **\$5.00**

Also Other Novelties at Half Price!

—Draperies, 2nd Floor

A GREAT CHRISTMAS SPECIAL!

Liberty Silk Shawls at Less Than Half Price

Liberty Silk Shawl, black Spanish type. Regular \$75.00 **\$25.00**

Liberty Silk Shawls, reproductions of Indian design. Blue or rose. Regular \$44.50 for **\$19.75**

Liberty Silk Shawl, in blue Paisley design. Regular \$74.00 for **\$24.00**

Liberty Silk Shawl in brown floral design. Regular \$16.75 for **\$7.95**

Liberty Silk Scarfs, Regular \$8.75 to \$10.95. On sale at **\$3.50**

Liberty Silk Scarfs, Regular \$4.75 to \$5.50. On sale at **\$2.50**

—Draperies, 2nd Floor

SMOKING JACKETS And Bathrobes for Men

Smoking Jackets and House Coats in latest styles and colorings. All splendidly tailored. Wool and velvet. Each **\$6.95 to \$10.95**

Silk Dressing Gowns of the best quality. Luxurious gowns for traveling or lounging. Each **\$9.75 to \$11.95**

Flannel Bathrobes in plain shades, plaid or striped patterns. All well tailored. A selection of patterns and colorings. **\$5.50 to \$12.50**

Beacon Bathrobes in a variety of patterns and colors. **\$2.95 and \$6.95**

—Men's Clothing, Main Floor

Boxed Belts and Gift Sets

Garter and Armband Sets in various colors. Priced at, a set, from **75¢**

Braces and Garter Sets, all matched colors. Plain or striped. From **\$1.25**

All-Leather Braces, tan or plain shades. Pair, **\$1.00**

Guyot's French Braces, white or striped. At, a pair **\$1.50**

Men's Leather Belts with tongue buckles. Black, brown or grey **75¢**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

A Special Purchase of 500 Flashlights

AN IDEAL GIFT FOR GIRL OR BOY!

Must Be Sold Before Christmas, Therefore the Prices Have Been Cut Right Down

Two-Cell Focusing **69¢** Larger Three-Cell Focusing **\$1.19**

Light **69¢** Light **\$1.19**

Three-Cell Focusing **89¢** Five-Cell Focusing **\$1.39**

Light **89¢** Light **\$1.39**

All Complete With Batteries

—Electrical Dept., Lower Main Floor

Bridge Cloths or Tablecloths

Italian Art Silk Cloths in rich Oriental colorings, with fringed ends. These are delightful gifts at **\$1.25 to \$4.50**

—Staples, Main Floor

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